#### **GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**

#### MINISTRY OF DRINKING AND WATER & SANITATION

#### LOK SABHA

#### **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2599**

#### **TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.12.2018**

#### **Gobar Dhan Scheme**

2599. SHRI MAGANTTI VENKATESHWARA RAO (BABU):

Will the Minister of DRINKINGWATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has launched Gobar Dhan scheme to manage solid and liquid wastes in villages and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) themega watts of energy produced through this scheme during the last three years and the current year; and
- (c) the funds allocated and spent there under, State-wise, including Andhra Pradesh during the said period?

#### **ANSWER**

# MINISTER OF STATE DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION (SHRI RAMESH CHANDAPPA JIGAJINAGI)

- (a) Yes, Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation launched GOBAR-Dhan scheme in April, 2018 with the aim of creating cleaner villages through solid waste management, increasing rural income and employment.
- (b) & (c) The scheme focuses on bio gas generation and slurry which can be utilized for agriculture purposes. There is no separate allocation of fund for GOBAR-Dhan as its comes under Solid and Liquid Waste Management (SLWM) funding of Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) [SBM(G)]. Funds released for SLWM related works under SBM in 2018-19 ( upto 21.12. 2018) is at **Annexure**.

## Statement referred in part (b)&(c) of the reply to Lok Sabha Un-starred Question No.2599 due for reply on 27-12-2018

### State/UT-wise, central share expenditure reported on SLWM during current year 2018-19 (Rs. in Crore)

State/UT	2018-19 (Upto 21.12.18)
A & N ISLANDS	0.00
ANDHRA PRADESH	106.74
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	16.96
ASSAM	0.35
BIHAR	0.00
CHHATTISGARH	1.19
D & N HAVELI	0.00
DAMAN & DIU	0.00
GOA	0.00
GUJARAT	0.00
HARYANA	1.71
HIMACHAL PRADESH	11.43
JAMMU & KASHMIR	0.00
JHARKHAND	0.00
KARNATAKA	0.81
KERALA	9.84
MADHYA PRADESH	1.21
MAHARASHTRA	2.67
MANIPUR	0.00
MEGHALAYA	23.09
MIZORAM	2.73
NAGALAND	1.74
ODISHA	0.00
PUDUCHERRY	0.00
PUNJAB	0.00
RAJASTHAN	0.35
SIKKIM	1.15
TAMIL NADU	0.00
TELANGANA	0.01
TRIPURA	0.00
UTTAR PRADESH	0.04
UTTARAKHAND	23.72
WEST BENGAL	1.30
	207.02