

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI,  
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION  
**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1442**

ANSWERED ON 15.12.2022

**FLOOD MANAGEMENT EROSION CONTROL PROGRAMME**

1442                      SHRI DILIP GHOSH

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:-

- (a) the details of flood management and erosion control programme being implemented by the Government in the State of West Bengal (WB); and
- (b) the details of funds allocated, sanctioned, released and utilised for each of the programme during the last three years and the current year, year, project and district-wise in West Bengal?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI

(SHRI BISHWESWAR TUDU)

**(a) & (b)** Flood management including erosion control falls within the purview of the States and accordingly, flood management and anti-erosion schemes are formulated and implemented by concerned State Governments as per their priority. The Union Government supplements the efforts of the States by providing technical guidance and also promotional financial assistance for management of floods in critical areas. To strengthen the structural measures of flood management, Ministry had implemented Flood Management Programme (FMP) during XI & XII Plan, for providing central assistance to States for works related to flood control, anti-erosion, drainage development, anti-sea erosion, etc. which subsequently continued as a component of "Flood Management and Border Areas Programme" (FMBAP) for the period from 2017-18 to 2020-21 and further extended up to September 2022 with limited outlay. From the State of West Bengal, 18 projects were included for central assistance under FMP. The completed projects have given protection to an area of around 0.937 Lakh ha and protected a population of about 23.5 Lakh. So far central assistance amounting to the tune of Rs. 1051.96 Crore has been released to the State of West Bengal under FMP component of FMBAP. The details of three ongoing projects under FMP in the State of West Bengal, year-wise central assistance released, etc. is given at **Annexure I.**

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**ANNEXURE- I**

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) & (b) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1442 TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 15.12.2022 REGARDING “FLOOD MANAGEMENT EROSION CONTROL PROGRAMME”**

S. No.	Project Name	Central assistance released in Rs. Crores	
1	Reconstruction, remodeling and improvement of embankments in Sunderban and adjoining areas in the districts of North and South 24 Parganas, damaged by severe cyclone, “AILA”. (WB-16)	Up to March, 2016	525.75
		FY 2018-19	23.65
		FY 2019-20	117.12
2	Drainage Scheme for Kaliaghai-Kapaleshwari-Baghai Basin in district Madinipur (WB). (WB-17)	Up to March, 2016	162.19
		FY 2017-18	8.09
3.	Improvement of embankment and ancillary works in Kandi and other adjoining areas of district of Murshidabad.(WB-18)	Up to March, 2016	12.38
		FY 2016-17	12.61
		FY 2017-18	56.94
		FY 2021-22	44.15

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