

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

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1166**

ANSWERED ON 09.02.2023

**NRCP IN ANDHRA PRADESH**

1166.           SHRI P.V. MIDHUN REDDY                           SHRI N. REDDEPPA  
                  SHRI POCHA BRAHMANANDA REDDY

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

- (a) the details of the funds allocated under National River Conservation Plan (NRCP), State/ UT-wise;
- (b) the details of the stretch of the rivers covered under NRCP in the State of Andhra Pradesh;
- (c) the details of the ongoing projects and the funds allocated with respect to the State of Andhra Pradesh, project-wise;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to expand NRCP to cover more rivers; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI**

(SHRI BISHWESWAR TUDU)

**(a) to (e)** Cleaning of rivers is a continuous process and Government of India is supplementing the efforts of the State/UT Governments in addressing the challenges of pollution of rivers by providing financial and technical assistance. The assistance is provided to State/UT Governments for abatement of pollution in identified stretches of various rivers in the country (excluding river Ganga and its tributaries) under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National River Conservation Plan (NRCP) on cost sharing basis between the Central and State/UT Governments for taking up various pollution abatement works relating to interception & diversion of raw sewage, construction of sewerage system, setting up sewage treatment plant (STP), low cost sanitation, river front/bathing ghat development, etc.

Proposal for pollution abatement works in the towns along polluted river stretches are received from the State/UTs from time to time for consideration under the NRCP, and sanctioned based on their prioritization, conformity with NRCP guidelines, availability of funds, etc. NRCP has so far covered polluted stretches on 36 rivers in 80 towns spread over 16 States including Andhra Pradesh with the project sanctioned cost of Rs. 6248.16 crore, and *inter-alia*, a sewage treatment capacity of 2745.7 million liters per day (mld) has been created. State wise details of the projects sanctioned/ allocated funds under NRCP are annexed at **Annexure**.

Pollution abatement of river Godavari at Rajahmundry (Rajamahendravaram) town was implemented at sanctioned cost of Rs.21.79 crore under NRCP and sewage treatment capacity of 30.00 mld was created In Andhra Pradesh.

Further, a project for "Pollution abatement and conservation of River Godavari at Rajamahendravaram" sanctioned under NRCP in March, 2022 at a cost of Rs 88.43 crore, for capacity augmentation and upgradation of the existing 30.00 mld STP to 50.6 mld.

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## ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1166 TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 09.02.2023 ON 'NRCP IN ANDHRA PRADESH'

## State/UT-wise details of rivers covered under National River Conservation Plan

(excluding Ganga and its tributaries)

(Rs. in crore)

S. No.	State	Rivers covered	Sanctioned Cost	Funds Released by Central Govt.	STP capacity created (in mld)
1	Andhra Pradesh	Godavari	110.21	259.80	30.00
2	Telangana	Godavari & Musi	345.72		621.46
3	Jammu & Kashmir	Devika & Tawi	186.74	94.66	0
4	Jharkhand	Subarnarekha	3.14	4.26	0
5	Gujarat	Sabarmati, Mindola & Tapi	1779.78	728.88	531.24
6	Goa	Mandovi	14.09	9.26	12.50
7	Karnataka	Tunga, Bhadra, Tungabhadra, Cauvery & Pennar	66.25	47.83	41.64
8	Maharashtra	Godavari, Tapi, Krishna, Panchganga & Mula Mutha.	1182.86	271.95	260.00
9	Madhya Pradesh	Wainganga, Narmada & Tapti.	20.16	12.46	7.95
10	Manipur	Nambul	97.72	68.00	0
11	Odisha	Brahmini, Mahanadi Coastal Area (Puri)	92.74	63.40	50.00
12	Punjab	Ghaggar, Beas & Satluj	774.43	516.14	663.20
13	Tamil Nadu	Adyar, Cooum, Vaigai, Vennar, Cauvery & Tamrabarani	908.13	623.65	477.66
14	Kerala	Pamba	18.45	7.78	4.50
15	Sikkim	Rani Chu, Teesta & Rangit	569.09	256.00	20.12
16	Nagaland	Diphu and Dhansiri	78.65	54.50	25.43
<b>Total</b>			<b>6248.16</b>	<b>3018.57</b>	<b>2745.7</b>

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