

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

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 187**

ANSWERED ON 02.02.2023

**POTHIREDDYPADU HEAD REGULATOR EXPANSION PROJECT**

187. SHRI UTTAM KUMAR REDDY NALAMADA

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

- (a) whether the Government of Andhra Pradesh has started work on the Pothireddypadu head regulator expansion project and if so, the details thereof, including the date of commencement and cost of the project;
- (b) the present water drawing capacity from Pothireddypadu and the estimated capacity after the expansion work is completed;
- (c) the date by which the said work is expected to be completed;
- (d) the details of the agencies involved in the execution of the project, the funds paid to them by the State Government and the funds still owed to them; and
- (e) whether any Government PSU or autonomous/ semi-autonomous body is funding the Pothireddypadu expansion work and if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI**

(SHRI BISHWESWAR TUDU)

- (a), (c), (d) & (e) As informed by the Government of Andhra Pradesh, no work has been taken up on the Pothireddypadu head regulator expansion project.
- (b) As informed by the State Government, the present water drawing capacity through Pothireddypadu is less than the design discharge capacity of 44,000 cusecs.

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