GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI DEPARTMENT OF DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO - 963

ANSWERED ON - 08/02/2024

HAR GHAR NAL YOJANA IN UTTAR PRADESH

963. DR. SANGHMITRA MAURYA:

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of villages of Uttar Pradesh particularly of Badaun Parliamentary Constituency in which all the households have been benefitted with Har Ghar Nal connection under the Jal Jeevan Mission; and
- (b) the number of unemployed youth of Badaun Parliamentary Constituency who have got employment opportunity under Jal Jeevan Mission?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI

(SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR)

(a) & (b) Government of India is implementing Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) – Har Ghar Jal, since August, 2019, in partnership with States, to make provision of potable tap water supply in adequate quantity, of prescribed quality and on regular & long-term basis to every rural household in the country including in State of Uttar Pradesh. 'Water' being a state subject planning, approval and implementation of drinking water supply schemes, lies with State/UT Governments.

As reported by the State Government, there are 95.7 thousand villages in Uttar Pradesh out of which all households of 32,851 villages have been provided with tap water connection as on 07.02.2024. The Badaun Parliamentary Constituency lies in two districts of the State namely Sambhal and Budaun. As reported by the State Government, there are total 2,364 villages in these two districts out of which 485 villages are such where all households have been provided tap water connection.

The investment in water supply infrastructure is creating job opportunity in the country. A recent study conducted by Indian Instute of Management-Bangalore (IIM-B), with technical support from International Labour Organisaon (ILO), titled 'Assessment of Employment Potenal of Jal Jeevan Mission' estimates that JJM has the potential to generate an average of 282.49 Lakhs person-year of employment during the construction phase and creation of 11.18 lakh person-year of additional direct employment annually during the O&M stage. The report is available in public domain at:

https://jaljeevanmission.gov.in/sites/default/files/2024-01/Potential-Impact-of-JJM.pdf

The estimate of employment generated under Jal Jeevan Mission for Badaun Parliamentary Constituency is not available with this department.
