GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI DEPARTMENT OF DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1712 TO BE ANSWERED ON 28.11.2019

Water Connections

1712:SHRI N. REDDEPPA:

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is providing water connections to every household in the country at an estimated capital expenditure of over Rs. 3 lakh crore and is expected to create huge business opportunities for corporate and if so, the details thereof and progress made there in so far; and
- (b) whether the investment in water infrastructure will spur growth and if so, the details thereof and steps being taken in this regard?

ANSWER MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI (SHRI RATTAN LAL KATARIA)

(a) & (b)To enable every rural household to have potable water supply on regular basis in adequate quantity through Functional Household Tap Connection (FHTC) by 2024, Government of India is implementing Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) with an outlay of Rs. 3.60 lakh Crore.Details of State/ UT-wise fund allocation under JJM in 2019-2020 is**annexed.**

In the rural areas, for developing in-village water supply infrastructure, water resource management, source strengthening/ augmentation, distribution network, treatment plant, etc., unskilled, semi-skilled and skilled human resource will be required. Further, materials forwater transfer, water treatment, storage, distribution network, etc. is also to be utilized, whichwill generate employment and boost the economy.

Annex referred in the reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1712 due for reply on 28/11/2019 State/ UT-wise fund allocation under JJM in 2019-2020 (Amount Rs. in Crore)*

S. No.	State/ UT	Allocation
1.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	1.45
2.	Andhra Pradesh	303.47
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	110.47
4.	Assam	679.26
5.	Bihar	741.66
6.	Chhattisgarh	169.42
7.	Goa	6.16
8.	Gujarat	317.85
9.	Haryana	122.12
10.	Himachal Pradesh	121.07
11.	Jammu & Kashmir	262.24
12.	Jharkhand	218.00
13.	Ladakh	135.71
14.	Karnataka	444.69
15.	Kerala	202.58
16.	Madhya Pradesh	465.49
17.	Maharashtra	690.55
18.	Manipur	56.41
19.	Meghalaya	71.69
20.	Mizoram	33.22
21.	Nagaland	47.07
22.	Odisha	297.03
23.	Puducherry	2.03
24.	Punjab	185.24
25.	Rajasthan	856.47
26.	Sikkim	12.85
27.	Tamil Nadu	304.82
28.	Telangana	211.04
29.	Tripura	89.71
30.	Uttar Pradesh	1,390.37
31.	Uttarakhand	138.87
32.	West Bengal	910.82
	Total	9599.83

* An amount of ₹ 300 Crore has been earmarked separately during the year 2019-20 for 16 identified States for implementing the demand driven project of National Water Quality Sub-Mission (NWQSM) to address drinking water quality issues in Arsenic and Flouride affected habitations