

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI,  
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2940**  
ANSWERED ON 05.12.2019

**SAIL BARRAGES ON RIVERS**

2940. SHRI BALUBHAU ALIAS SURESH NARAYAN DHANORKAR

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes any steps to build sail barrages on the various rivers in Chandrapur district of Maharashtra for fulfilling the requirement of irrigation and drinking water; and  
(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI & SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT  
(SHRI RATTAN LAL KATARIA)

(a) to(b) The Water Resources Projects are planned, funded, executed and maintained by the State Governments themselves as per their own resources and priority. In order to supplement their efforts, Government of India provides technical and financial assistance to State Governments to encourage sustainable development and efficient management of water resources through various schemes and programmes.

Central Water Commission has informed that proposal to build such barrages on various rivers in Chandrapur District of Maharashtra has not been received from the State Government in the last five years.

Further, the Government of Maharashtra has informed that five conventional barrages are either completed/under construction or contemplated in Chandrapur district. Four of these 5 barrages have the provision to supply irrigation and drinking water. Details of these four barrages are as under:

Sr No	Name of Barrage	Water use in Mm <sup>3</sup>		
		Drinking	Irrigation	Status
1	Dindora Barrage Ta Warora	12.324	57.07 (11933 ha)	Ongoing
2	Dhanora Barrage Ta Chandrapur	25 (for Chandrapur city)	24.47 (irrigation 5387 ha)	Planned
3	Amdi Barrage Ta Ballarpur	21.59 (for Ballarpur and Rajura city)	21.59 (irrigation 2890 ha)	Planned
4	ArviDhanur Barrage Ta. Gondapipri	3.90	31.73 (irrigation 4710 ha)	Planned

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