

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI
DEPARTMENT OF DRINKING WATER & SANITATION**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 802
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.02.2020**

NRDWP

†802. SHRI JYOTIRMAY SINGH MAHATO:

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) the status of National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP); and
- (b) the State-wise number of rural families including those in West Bengal who do not have safe drinking water?

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

(a) National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP) has been restructured and subsumed into Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) in August, 2019 which aims at providing Functional Household Tap Connection (FHTC) to every rural household by 2024.

As reported by States/ UTs, as on 03.02.2020, 81.57% rural habitations having 77.20% population have provision of minimum 40 litre per capita per day (lpcd) of potable drinking water and 15.42% rural habitations having 19.42% population have service level of less than 40 lpcd potable water, whereas 3.01% rural habitations having 3.38% population have water sources with quality issues.

(b) Data in terms of rural habitations & population having water sources with quality issues is monitored by this Department. State-wise number of habitations and population, including those in West Bengal, who are yet to be provided with safe drinking water is annexed.

**Annex referred in the reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 802 due for reply on
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State wise details of water quality affected (QA) habitations & population as on 02.02.2020

S. No.	State/ UT	No. of QA Habitations	Total Population (in lakh)
1.	Andhra Pradesh	277	1.79
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	27	0.05
3.	Assam	8,493	32.03
4.	Bihar	3,185	33.22
5.	Chhattisgarh	490	1.46
6.	Haryana	86	2
7.	Jammu & Kashmir	11	0.27
8.	Jharkhand	424	1.39
9.	Karnataka	446	2.44
10.	Kerala	324	7.37
11.	Madhya Pradesh	143	0.57
12.	Maharashtra	167	3.37
13.	Meghalaya	7	0.07
14.	Odisha	2,391	7.29
15.	Punjab	3,165	38.87
16.	Rajasthan	16,629	53.25
17.	Telangana	342	5.57
18.	Tripura	2,351	10.97
19.	Uttar Pradesh	1,154	9.97
20.	Uttarakhand	9	0.45
21.	West Bengal	11,860	97.99
	Total	51,981	310.39

Source: IMIS, DDWS