# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI,

# DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION

## **LOK SABHA**

# **STARRED QUESTION NO. \*155**

ANSWERED ON 11.02.2021

# HEIGHT OF POLAVARAM PROJECT

# \*155. SHRI KANUMURU RAGHU RAMA KRISHNA RAJU

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government is aware that the Government of Andhra Pradesh is contemplating on reducing the height of the Polavaram Project;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the details of the schedule for the completion of the project?

## **ANSWER**

### THE MINISTER OF JAL SHAKTI

### (SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH SHEKHAWAT)

(a) to (c) Polavaram Irrigation Project (PIP) is being executed by Government of Andhra Pradesh (GoAP) on behalf of Government of India. As reported by GoAP, there is no proposal to reduce the height of Polavaram Irrigation Project. Further, the project is planned for completion by April, 2022.

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