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

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4883 TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.03.2021

### RECYCLING OF WATER

#### †4883 SHRI VINAYAK RAUT:

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to make any provision for recycling of water under drinking water schemes in Maharashtra;
- (b) if so, the details of the plantation carried out for the purpose of recycling of water in rural areas of Maharashtra; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

#### **ANSWER**

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

(a) to (c) Government of India is implementing Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) in partnership with States to enable every rural household to have potable tap water supply by 2024. For the implementation of Jal Jeevan Mission, provision has been made for the preparation of Village Action Plan (VAP) by local village community, which *inter alia* includes treatment and reuse of grey water in convergence with other schemes such as MGNREGS, 15<sup>th</sup>Finance Commission tied grants to rural local bodies/ PRIs for water & sanitation, SBM (G), MP & MLA's Local Area Development Fund, District Mineral Development Fund, CSR fund, community contribution, etc. The grey water treatment and its reuse is an important component, while planning for rural drinking water schemes under the Jal Jeevan Mission. As such, details of plants for recycling of water, are not maintained in the Department of Drinking Water & Sanitation, Ministry of Jal Shakti.

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