

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 528
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.02.2021**

Drinking Water

528. SHRIMATI MEENAKASHI LEKHI:
SHRI GOPAL JEE THAKUR:

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is contemplating initiation of new schemes with respect to water;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the details of progress of Jal Jivan Mission, State/UT wise; and
- (d) the details of number of households having clean drinking water facility?

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

(a) & (b) To enable every rural household in the country to have assured potable water at service level of 55 litre per capita per day (lpcd) through Functional Household Tap Connection (FHTC) by 2024, Government of India, in partnership with State Governments, is implementing Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) with an estimated outlay of Rs. 3.60 lakh Crore. At the time of announcement of the JJM, only 3.23 Crore (17%) out of total 18.93 Crore rural households, had tap water connections.

(c) & (d) As reported by States/ UTs, since announcement, 3.32 Crore rural households have been provided with tap water connections across the country and thus presently 6.55 Crore rural households (34.20%) have tap water supply. State/ UT-wise details of total number of households and households with tap water connections is in public domain and available on the JJM dashboard @ <https://ejalshakti.gov.in/jjmreport/JJMIndia.aspx>.
