338. SHRI RAJESHBHAI CHUDASAMA:

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

(a) the details of number of villages in Gujarat being provided with drinking water facility by providing a water connection to every house under ‘Samooh Nal Jal Praday Yojana’ (SNJPY); and

(b) the details of the estimated targets along with the amount to be spent for the said scheme during the next three years, district and year-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI
(SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL)

(a) Since August 2019, the Government of India, in partnership with the States, is implementing Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) to make provision of potable water supply to every rural household in the country through Functional Household Tap Connections by 2024.

At the time of the announcement of JJM, out of 91.77 Lakhs rural households, 65.16 Lakhs rural households (71%) were having provision of tap water connections in the State. Since then, over 18.27 Lakhs rural households have been provided with tap water connections and, as of date, provision of the tap water supply has been made to 83.44 Lakhs (90.92%) households.

The detailed information related to the status and progress of the provision of tap water supply to rural households is available in the public domain, which can be accessed on JJM-dashboard at:

https://ejalshakti.gov.in/jjmreport/JJMIndia.aspx

(b) Under JJM, the State Government has planned to provide tap water connections to all remaining rural households by 2022 much ahead of the national goal. During the current year, it has planned to provide tap water connection to 10 lakh rural households. The State has been allocated an amount of Rs. 3,410.61 Crore as Central Share in the current financial year, out of which Rs.2,557.96 Crore has been drawn and expenditure of 1,521.88 Crore is reported till date by the State Government.

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