

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FINANCE
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.792

TO BE ANSWERED ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 07, 2022

Loan from JICA

792. SHRI HANUMAN BENIWAL:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government proposes to make recommendation for providing loan from Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) for giving benefit of drinking water by laying pipeline parallel to the Rajiv Gandhi Lift Canal from Indira Gandhi Canal for 2104 villages and urban areas of Jodhpur, Barmer and Pali districts of Rajasthan;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the time by which the said recommendation is likely to be made, and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR FINANCE
(SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (c): A project proposal submitted by the Government of Rajasthan titled 'Parallel Carrier System to Rajiv Gandhi Lift Canal from Indira Gandhi Main Canal (RGLC Phase-III)' seeking external assistance of Rs.1,163.20 crore from Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) was included in the JICA Rolling Plan on 02.07.2020, based on the recommendations of Central Line Ministries and NITI Aayog. Subsequently, the Government of Rajasthan decided to execute the project with the funds made available by the Govt. of India under Jal Jeevan Mission (Urban) and the State Government, and, therefore, requested to drop the proposal for external funding from JICA. Accordingly, the project proposal has been dropped from the JICA Rolling Plan on 12.07.2021.
