GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI,

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION

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WATER SUPPLY PROJECTS

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Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to grant permission for execution of Bisalpur dam based eight water supply projects to supply fifty-five Litres per Capita per Day (LPCD) service level in place of thirty five LPCD service level;
- (b) if so, the time by which the permission is likely to be granted; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI (SHRI BISHWESWAR TUDU)

(a) to (c) Water being a State subject, water supply schemes are planned, designed, executed and maintained by the State Governments themselves as per their own resources and priorities. To supplement the efforts of States for rural water supply, Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM), a centrally sponsored scheme, is being implemented in partnership with States, for provisioning of potable tap water supply at service level of 55 litre per capita per day (LPCD), of prescribed quality (BIS:10500) on regular and long term basis to every rural household of the country, including those in the State of Rajasthan.

As informed by Government of Rajasthan, additional reservation of 8.1 thousand million cubic feet (TMC) for drinking water is required from Bisalpur dam for taking up the 8 projects for supplying the stipulated fifty-five litres per capita per day (LPCD).
