GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI

DEPARTMENT OF DRINKING WATER & SANITATION

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 638

ANSWERED ON- 25/07/2024

JJM IN GUJARAT

†638. SHRI JASWANTSINH SUMANBHAI BHABHOR: SMT. GENIBEN NAGAJI THAKOR:

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to provide tap water connections to every household under the Har Ghar Jal initiative of the Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) by the year 2024;
- (b) if so, the details thereof particularly in Gujarat; and
- (c) whether the Nal Se Jal Yojana is being implemented in Gujarat and the details of funds allocated to Gujarat under the scheme during the last three years?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI (SHRI V. SOMANNA)

(a) to (c) Since August 2019, Government of India is implementing Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) – Har Ghar Jal in partnership with States to make provision of tap water supply to every rural household of the country including Gujarat. At the time of announcement of JJM, 3.23 Crore rural households in the country were reported to have tap water connections. Since then, additional 11.76 Crore rural households have been provided tap water connections. Thus, as on 22.07.2024, out of 19.32 Crore rural households in the country, provision of tap water supply has been made to 15 Crore (77.63%) households. Similarly, in Gujarat, 65.16 Lakhs rural households were reported to have tap water connections. Since announcement of JJM, additional 26.02 Lakhs rural households have been provided tap water connections. Thus, as on 22.07.2024, provision of tap water supply has been made to all 91.18 Lakhs (100%) rural households in the State.

The details of JJM funds allocated to/ drawn by Gujarat during the last three financial years is given below:

(JJM Central share - in Rs. Crore)

Financial Year	JJM fund allocation	Funds drawn
2021-22	₹ 3,410.61	2,557.96
2022-23	₹ 3,590.16	3,590.16
2023-24	₹ 2,982.85	2,237.14
