

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI  
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION  
**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2883**

ANSWERED ON 12.12.2024

**PROGRAMMES TO CONTROL FLOOD IN CHHATTISGARH**

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Will the Minister of **JAL SHAKTI** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that there are lapses in the implementation of the programme related to flood control and water management by the State Government of Chhattisgarh during the last five years;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the types of such lapses;
- (c) the funds allocated and utilised for Chhattisgarh during the said period;
- (d) the incidents reported related to the misuse of allocated funds under the said programmes resulting in non-achieving the expected targets;
- (e) whether the Government proposes to send a central investigating team to Chhattisgarh to investigate such irregularities; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof along with the ambit of the investigation and its possible consequences?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI**

(SHRI RAJ BHUSHAN CHOUDHARY)

**(a) to (d)** No lapses have been reported in the implementation of the programme including the incidents related to the misuse of allocated funds related to flood control and water management by the State Government of Chhattisgarh during the last five years. No funds have been allocated for flood control to the state by the Centre during said period.

Three projects of Chhattisgarh have been included under Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchai Yojna-Accelerated Irrigation Benefit Programme (PMKSY-AIBP) and pari-passu command area development. AIBP component of two projects namely Maniyari Tank project and Kharung project have been completed, whereas Kelo project is ongoing. Rs. 49.62 crore has been provided to Chhattisgarh during 2016-17 to 2023-24 under PMKSY-AIBP. Further, Rs. 40.633 crore has been provided to Kelo Irrigation Project, Rs. 43.57 crore has been provided to Maniyari Tank and Rs. 10.47 crore to Kharung project before 2016 (during 2008-09 to 2015-16).

Command Area Development-Water Management (CADWM) components of all three projects namely- Maniyari Tank project, Kharung project and Kelo project are ongoing and Rs. 28.58 crore has been provided to Chhattisgarh during 2016-17 to 2023-24.

**(e) & (f)** No proposal to send a central investigating team to Chhattisgarh to investigate irregularities is under consideration in view of the reply in part (a) to (d).

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