

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI
DEPARTMENT OF DRINKING WATER & SANITATION

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1403
ANSWERED ON 13/02/2025

OUTREACH AND EFFECTIVENESS OF JJM IN TIRUPATI DISTRICT

1403. SHRI MADDILA GURUMOORTHY:

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

(a) the number of SC/ST/OBC households provided with tap water connections under the Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) in Tirupati district;

(b) the percentage of SC/ST-dominated habitations fully covered under the JJM in the said district and the status of coverage across the State;

(c) the steps taken/being taken by the Government to ensure community participation, particularly of women, in water management committees as part of the said mission and the impact of these steps in Tirupati district; and

(d) the growth trends of average per capita, per day (pc/pd) tap water availability during the last five years, State-wise, with specific reference to Tirupati district, in light of the national target of 55 litres per capita per day (pc/pd)?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d) : Government of India is committed to make provision for safe & potable tap water supply in adequate quantity i.e. 55 LPCD, of prescribed quality and on a regular & long-term basis to all rural households in the country. Towards this end, since August 2019, Government of India is implementing Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) in partnership with States to make provision of tap water supply to every rural household. Water being a state subject, the responsibility of planning, approval, implementation, operation, and maintenance of drinking water supply schemes/ works, including those under the Jal Jeevan Mission, lies with State/UT Governments. The Government of India supports the States by providing technical and financial assistance.

At the time of launch of JJM, in Andhra Pradesh, 30.74 Lakhs rural households (32.18%) of the State had tap water connections. Since then, about 39.72 Lakhs households in rural areas have been provided with tap water connections and as on 09.02.2025, out of total 95.53 Lakhs rural households in the State, about 70.46 Lakhs (73.76%) households are having tap water connections including 8.66 lakhs SC and 3.78 lakhs ST household, respectively.

Similarly, at launch of JJM, around 2.40 Lakhs rural households (57.58%) in Tirupati district of Andhra Pradesh had tap water connections. Since then, about 1.76 Lakhs households in rural areas have been provided with tap water connections. As on 09.02.2025, out of total 4.17 Lakhs rural households in the district, around 4.16 Lakhs (99.82%) households are having tap water connections including 1.19 Lakhs SC and 0.26 Lakhs ST households, respectively. Data of OBC is not maintained by this Department.

As per information provided by State Government, as on 09.02.2025, there are total of 4,018 habitations in the Tirupati district, of which 487 habitations are marked as 'ST-concentrated' and 1,331 habitations are marked as 'SC-concentrated'. Out of these, 485 'ST- concentrated' and 1,328 'SC-concentrated' habitations have been saturated as on 09.02.2025.

To encourage the community participation, the operational guideline for the implementation of JJM provide for constitution of a Village Water and Sanitation Committee (VWSC)/ Paani Samiti/ User Group, etc. to carry out the responsibilities of water supply management in the village. This Committee typically consists of 10-15 members including up to 25% elected panchayat members, 50% women, and the members from weaker section (SC/ ST) in proportion to their population out of the remaining 25%.

In Tirupati district, there are 908 villages out of which VWSCs have been formed in 901 villages. This has resulted in increased participation of women in water management at village level.

The State-wise details of tap water connections provided under JJM during last 5 years is attached at **Annexure**.

Annexure referred to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1403 answered on 13.02.2025

Tap water connection provided under JJM during 2019-20 to 2024-25 (As on 09/02/2025)

#	State /UTs	Total Rural household	No. of tap connections on 15-Aug-2019	Tap connection provided during Financial Years						Total tap provided till 10/02/25
				2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	62,037	28,547	0	33,490	0	0	0	0	62,037
2	Andhra Pradesh	95,53,169	30,74,310	1,19,090	12,76,628	9,59,256	11,88,498	3,86,490	41,953	70,46,225
3	Arunachal Pradesh	2,28,566	22,796	13,350	65,087	41,964	33,797	51,572	0	2,28,566
4	Assam	72,25,389	1,11,311	48,826	5,07,217	16,52,387	8,74,641	22,95,421	3,86,102	58,75,905
5	Bihar	1,67,55,041	3,16,391	28,97,107	1,03,45,628	19,85,975	3,63,023	1,26,504	1,089	1,60,35,717
6	Chhattisgarh	50,03,522	3,19,741	95,804	1,50,926	4,45,107	10,80,547	18,04,922	1,23,794	40,20,841
7	D&NH And Daman & Diu	85,156	0	0	24,592	60,564	0	0	0	85,156
8	Goa	2,63,922	1,99,094	31,081	32,827	0	0	0	920	2,63,922
9	Gujarat	91,18,415	65,16,258	1,05,529	10,94,588	8,98,641	5,03,399	0	0	91,18,415
10	Haryana	30,41,314	17,66,363	1,35,217	7,91,155	3,48,579	0	0	0	30,41,314
11	Himachal Pradesh	17,08,727	7,62,721	1,58,932	3,78,579	2,86,547	92,872	29,076	0	17,08,727
12	Jammu & Kashmir	19,23,514	5,75,466	2,07,295	2,15,579	57,890	39,861	3,47,425	1,11,949	15,55,465
13	Jharkhand	62,55,717	3,45,165	95,284	2,99,731	4,18,618	8,76,785	11,92,958	1,90,559	34,19,100
14	Karnataka	1,01,32,148	24,51,220	21,446	3,43,077	18,70,487	20,56,621	9,23,031	7,66,346	84,32,228
15	Kerala	70,79,554	16,64,091	85,476	4,04,464	6,63,874	5,29,487	3,66,937	1,26,253	38,40,582
16	Ladakh	40,671	1,414	550	1,762	8,907	18,010	7,057	1,364	39,064
17	Lakshadweep	13,370	0	0	0	0	0	10,836	1,383	12,219
18	Madhya Pradesh	1,11,88,550	13,53,151	4,19,152	19,86,546	10,89,412	8,90,863	11,30,228	6,58,563	75,27,915
19	Maharashtra	1,46,80,627	48,43,832	5,44,596	37,08,868	10,65,501	8,21,630	15,16,996	4,58,248	1,29,59,671
20	Manipur	4,51,619	25,920	4,459	1,96,153	69,908	48,767	7,868	6,384	3,59,459
21	Meghalaya	6,50,914	4,550	1,729	87,355	1,33,670	80,305	1,90,929	33,642	5,32,180
22	Mizoram	1,33,060	9,201	15,878	33,790	21,493	30,213	22,485	0	1,33,060
23	Nagaland	3,63,781	13,882	1,944	47,595	92,132	87,199	74,907	19,515	3,37,174
24	Odisha	88,69,536	3,10,866	4,36,585	15,47,352	17,47,458	12,22,183	12,06,463	3,07,256	67,78,163
25	Puducherry	1,14,969	93,506	6,487	8,287	6,628	61	0	0	1,14,969
26	Punjab	34,26,808	16,78,558	76,164	8,18,020	8,40,379	4,932	2	8,753	34,26,808
27	Rajasthan	1,07,77,074	11,74,131	1,02,169	6,80,883	5,38,030	13,88,472	12,17,862	8,65,127	59,66,674
28	Sikkim	1,32,827	70,345	0	10,278	7,909	19,409	9,971	2,713	1,20,625
29	Tamil Nadu	1,25,28,183	21,76,071	16,741	16,13,190	14,89,972	26,52,454	23,05,376	8,17,430	1,10,71,234
30	Telangana	53,98,219	15,68,301	20,18,118	18,00,543	0	11,257	0	0	53,98,219
31	Tripura	7,50,844	24,502	45,756	1,42,211	1,65,207	80,688	1,32,355	47,133	6,37,850
32	Uttar Pradesh	2,67,28,935	5,16,221	4,65,861	19,15,850	5,80,816	59,88,189	1,20,51,292	19,01,259	2,34,19,488
33	Uttarakhand	14,50,635	1,30,325	86,793	4,32,301	2,74,958	2,14,873	2,25,370	46,042	14,10,662
34	West Bengal	1,75,56,704	2,14,588	4,720	12,47,860	23,30,522	20,76,714	22,91,726	13,99,407	95,65,537
	Total	19,36,93,517	3,23,62,838	82,62,139	3,22,42,412	2,01,52,791	2,32,75,750	2,99,26,059	83,23,182	15,45,45,171

Data Source: JJM-IMIS