

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

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1996**

ANSWERED ON 31.07.2025

**NAMAMI GANGE PROGRAMME IN BIHAR**

†1996. SHRI AJAY KUMAR MANDAL

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

- (a) the details of the projects implemented in Bihar and including in Bhagalpur district under the Namami Gange Programme during the last five years (2019-20 to 2024-25);
- (b) the details of cost, target capacity and present status of implementation of each of these projects, district-wise;
- (c) whether any special measures have been taken to expedite the progress of these projects and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the details of the funds spent on each of the said projects so far along with the time by which these are likely to be completed?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI**

(SHRI RAJ BHUSHAN CHOUDHARY)

**(a),(b)&(d):** Under the Namami Gange Programme (NGP), a total of 38 sewerage infrastructure projects (including Bhagalpur District) have been sanctioned in the State of Bihar. During the period from 2019–20 to 2024–25, 14 sewerage infrastructure projects (including Bhagalpur District) were sanctioned in Bihar. The details of sanctioned cost, capacity, expenditure and present status of implementation of each of these projects, district-wise, are enclosed at **Annexure**.

In Bhagalpur district, four sewerage infrastructure projects (Bhagalpur, Kahalgaon, Sultanganj and Naugachia) have been sanctioned with a total treatment capacity of 70 MLD, at an estimated cost of ₹583 crore. Of these, two projects (Sultanganj and Naugachia) with a combined capacity of 19 MLD have been completed.

**(c)** Yes. A comprehensive monitoring mechanism is in place at both the Central and State levels.

1. **Empowered Task Force (ETF) Meetings:** The Hon'ble Union Minister of Jal Shakti regularly chairs meetings of the Empowered Task Force (ETF) on Ganga Conservation. These meetings involve key stakeholders and State Governments and are aimed at ensuring steady progress and timely achieving the objectives of Namami Gange Programme.

2. **Review by Central Monitoring Committee (CMC):** Review meetings under the chairmanship of the Secretary, Department of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation (DoWR, RD & GR), Ministry of Jal Shakti through the Central Monitoring Committee (CMC) are conducted to evaluate progress, identify potential roadblocks, and ensure timely resolution. As of June 2025, a total of twenty CMC meetings have already been conducted.
3. **Review by NMCG:** Regular review meetings are also taken by NMCG, with key stakeholders and the respective State Programme Management Groups (SPMGs)/State Missions for Clean Ganga (SMCGs) to ensure effective coordination and monitoring at the State level.

These measures collectively aim to enhance implementation efficiency, remove bottlenecks and ensure timely delivery of intended outcomes of the Namami Gange Programme.

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**ANNEXURE**

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a), (b) & (d) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1996 TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 31.07.2025 REGARDING “NAMAMI GANGE PROGRAMME IN BIHAR”.**

**The details of sanctioned cost, capacity, expenditure and present status of implementation of each of these projects, district-wise,**

<b>Sr. no.</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Name/Nature of works</b>	<b>Project cost (in Cr.)</b>	<b>STP Capacity (MLD)</b>	<b>Total Expenditure (in Cr.)</b>	<b>Status/Target Completion Financial Year</b>
1	Munger	Sewer Networks, SPS and STP at Munger	522.85	30	428.7	Completed
2	Patna	Sewage Treatment Plant - Beur for Patna, Bihar	93.94	43	69.96	Completed
3	Patna	Sewerage system with Sewer network, Beur, Patna	225.77	-	369.66	Completed
4	Patna	Sewage Treatment Plant - Karmalichak for Patna, Bihar	90.94	37	68.39	Completed
5	Patna	Saidpur STP and adjoining Network for Patna, Bihar	184.93	60	184.77	Completed
6	Patna	Saidpur Sewer Network, Patna, Bihar	493.85	-	491.13	Completed
7	Patna	Sewerage system with Sewer network Karmalichak, Patna	277.42	-	336.59	Completed
8	Patna	Sewage Treatment Plant at Pahari - Patna, Bihar	191.62	60	125.67	Completed
9	Patna	Sewerage scheme at Pahari (Zone IVA (S)), Patna, Bihar	230.48	-	215.48	Completed
10	Patna	Sewerage scheme at Pahari Zone V, Patna, Bihar	356.37	-	312.89	Completed
11	Patna	Interception, Diversion & Sewage Treatment Plant works at Mokama	73.4	8	52.03	Completed
12	Patna	I&D and STP Project at Barh	58.26	11	41.81	Completed
13	Patna	Interception & Diversion & Sewage Treatment Plant for Maner Town	69.77	6.5	43.5	Completed
14	Patna	Interception & Diversion & Sewage Treatment Plant for Danapur Town	103.27	25	73.94	Completed
15	Patna	Interception & Diversion & Sewage Treatment Plant for Phulwarishariff Town	46.25	13	13.54	Completed
16	Patna	Interception and Diversion and STP works in Fatuha	35.49	7	16.41	Completed
17	<b>Bhagalpur</b>	Interception, Diversion & Sewage Treatment Plant works at Sultanganj	60.22	10	35.38	Completed
18	<b>Bhagalpur</b>	Interception, Diversion & Sewage Treatment Plant works at Naugachia	60.79	9	49.11	Completed
19	Saran	Interception and Diversion and	47.41	3.5	29.47	Completed

Sr. no.	District	Name/Nature of works	Project cost (in Cr.)	STP Capacity (MLD)	Total Expenditure (in Cr.)	Status/Target Completion Financial Year
		STP works in Sonapur				
20	Saran	Interception and Diversion and STP works in Chhapra	236.15	32	153.66	Completed
21	Patna	Interception and Diversion and STP works in Bakhtiyarpur	84.93	10	62.7	Completed
22	Begusarai	Sewer Network, SPS and STP at Begusarai	230.06	17	261.47	Under Progress (2025-26)
23	Vaishali	Sewer Networks, SPS and STP at Hajipur	305.19	22	346.46	Under Progress (2025-26)
24	Patna	Sewage Treatment Plant (50MLD) and Sewerage Network(150 km)in Kankarbagh-Patna	578.89	50	164.87	Under Progress (2025-26)
25	Patna	Sewage Treatment Plant (100MLD) and Sewerage Network(288 km) in Digha	824	100	384.17	Under Progress (2025-26)
26	<b>Bhagalpur</b>	Interception and Diversion and STP works in Bhagalpur	413.29	45	126.67	Under Progress (2025-26)
27	<b>Bhagalpur</b>	Interception and Diversion and STP scheme in Kahalgaon	48.2	6	23.8	Under Progress (2025-26)
28	Lakhisarai	Interception and Diversion and STP works in Barahiya	59.28	6	1.44	Under Progress (2025-26)
29	Rohtas	Interception and Diversion, and STP works at Dehri on Sone	63.89	21	7.45	Under Progress (2025-26)
30	SUPAUL	I&D and STP Works, Supaul	76.69	12.1	-	Under Progress (2025-26)
31	PURBI CHAMPARAN	Interception & Diversion and STP scheme for Motihari	149.16	23	-	Under Progress (2026-27)
32	Aurangabad	Interception & Diversion of drains and STP works at Daudnagar	42.25	10.5	-	Under Progress (2026-27)
33	Jamui	Interception & Diversion and STP scheme for Jamui town	77.39	13	-	Under Progress (2026-27)
34	PurbiChamparan	Interception & Diversion of drains and STP scheme for Raxaul	78.78	12	-	Under Progress (2026-27)
35	Buxar	I&D and STP scheme for Buxar town	257.03	51	-	Tendering
36	Lakhisarai	Interception & Diversion and STP scheme for Lakhisarai town	94.13	22	-	Tendering
37	Katihar	Interception & Diversion of drains and STP scheme for Katihar (HAM)	356.99	55.5	-	Tendering
38	Bhojpur	Interception & Diversion and STP scheme for Arrah (HAM)	328.29	47	-	Tendering
<b>Total</b>			<b>7,527.62</b>	<b>878.10</b>	<b>4,491.12</b>	

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