

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 99

ANSWERED ON 29.01.2026

IMPLEMENTATION OF ABY IN DAUSA DISTRICT

†99. SHRI MURARI LAL MEENA:

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

- (a) the names of the districts of Rajasthan covered under the Atal Bhujal Yojana (ABY);
- (b) whether the Dausa Lok Sabha Constituency has also been selected under ABY and if so, the details thereof indicating major works carried out during the last three years and the current year, so far;
- (c) the number of Gram Panchayats in the said Constituency where Water Security Plans (WSP) have been prepared along with the number of Gram Panchayats where implementation of these plans has been initiated;
- (d) the details of total funds utilised under ABY in Rajasthan so far and the details of Central assistance received in Dausa district under it till date; and
- (e) the steps being taken/likely to be taken by the Government for regular operation of ABY and the integration of WSP into Gram Panchayat development plans?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI

(SHRI RAJ BHUSHAN CHOUDHARY)

(a) Atal Bhujal Yojana was a pilot scheme for community led participatory groundwater management, implemented in priority water stressed areas across 8,203 priority water stressed Gram Panchayats of 229 blocks in 80 districts of seven states viz. Gujarat, Haryana, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh.

In Rajasthan, this scheme was implemented in 17 districts viz. Ajmer, Alwar, Baran, Bhilwara, Chittorgarh, Dausa, Dholpur, Hanumangarh, Jaipur, Jaisalmer, Jhalawar, Jhunjhunu, Karauli, Kota, Rajsamand, Sawai Madhopur and Sikar.

(b) Atal Bhujal Yojana was implemented in 7 blocks (viz. Baijupada, Bandikui, Baswa, Dausa, Lawan, Nangal-Rajawatan and Sikandra) of Dausa district under the Dausa parliamentary constituency. The details of activities / works done in the said Blocks covered under the Atal Bhujal Yojana are provided in **Annexure**.

(c) Water Security Plans (WSPs) have been prepared, updated annually and implementation of recommended works taken up for all 148 Gram Panchayats (GPs) in 7 blocks of Dausa district covered under the Scheme.

(d) Atal Bhujal Yojana was a Program for Results scheme and allocation of funds is based on the overall performance of the participating States under various indicators and District-wise fund release is not made. So far, an amount of Rs.489.05 cr has been disbursed /assigned to State Program Management Unit, Rajasthan under the scheme, out of which Rs.485.79 cr has been utilized.

(e) Atal Bhujal Yojana was conceived as a pilot scheme for participatory ground water management with a fixed duration & outlay. However, this Ministry requested all states to integrate Water Security Plans prepared under Atal Bhujal Yojana with the Gram Panchayat Development Plans for sustainability of activities in the future.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 99 TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 29.01.2026 REGARDING “IMPLEMENTATION OF ABY IN DAUSA DISTRICT”.

Summary of major activities/works undertaken in Dausa District, Rajasthan under Atal Bhujal Yojana

Number of Gram Panchayat level Trainings conducted	No. of piezometers constructed	Mapping of existing water conservation and artificial recharge structures	Area brought under efficient water-use practices like drip, sprinklers, crop diversification etc. (in Hectares)	Number of supply-side structures constructed/renovated (like check dams, ponds, recharge shafts, etc.)
2373	104	2579	3184.52	639
