

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.112**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.07.2015

**Approval for Irrigation Projects**

112. ADV. CHINTAMAN NAVASHA WANAGA:

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received proposals for irrigation projects from various States including Maharashtra for approval;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the details of projects sanctioned so far along with the details of the pending projects, State-wise; and
- (d) the steps proposed to be taken for early clearance of the pending projects?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

(SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

- (a) to (c) The Government have received proposals for environmental clearance for irrigation projects from various states including Maharashtra. During the last 3 years and including current year, twelve (12) irrigation projects have been accorded environment clearance (EC). A list of these 12 projects is annexed. No irrigation project is pending for approval for environment clearance.
- (d) Steps and procedures as stipulated in Environment Impact Assessment Notification 2006 are followed by the Government while considering the proposals for environment clearance.

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**Annexure**

**In reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 112 with respect to “Approval for Irrigation Projects” to be answered on 21.7.2015 raised by Hon’ble M.P. ADV. Chintaman Navasha Wanaga**

Sl. No.	State	Irrigation Project Details	Date of Sanction
		<b>[2012]</b>	
1	Maharashtra	Kanhan River Kochi Barrage Project in District: Nagpur of Maharashtra by M/s. Vidarbha Irrigation Development Corporation, Government of Maharashtra	9.2.2012
		<b>[2013]</b>	
		<b>Nil</b>	
		<b>[2014]</b>	
1	Madhya Pradesh	Sip-Kolar Medium Irrigation project in District Sehore by M/s. Water Resources Department, Government of Madhya Pradesh	22.1.2014
2	Madhya Pradesh	Bansujara Irrigation project in District Tikamgarh of Madhya Pradesh by M/s. Water Resources Department, Government of Madhya Pradesh	24.2.2014
3	Madhya Pradesh	Mohanpura Irrigation project in District Rajgarh of Madhya Pradesh by M/s. Water Resources Department, Government of Madhya Pradesh	10.3.2014
4	Karnataka	Shiggaon Lift Irrigation Scheme in District: Haveri of Karnataka by M/s. Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Ltd, Government of Karnataka	22.10.2014
		<b>[2015]</b>	
1	Karnataka	Sonthi Lift Irrigation Project in Districts Gulbarga & Yadgir of Karnataka by M/s. Krishna Bhagya Jala Nigam Ltd, Government of Karnataka	2.1.2015
2	Madhya Pradesh	Kundaliya Major Multipurpose Project in Districts Shajapur & Rajgarh of Madhya Pradesh by M/s. Water Resources Department, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh	14.1.2015
3	Maharashtra	Lower Tapi Irrigation Project in District Jalgaon of Maharashtra by M/s. Minor Irrigation Division, Tapi Irrigation Development Corporation, Government of Maharashtra	25.3.2015

4	Chhattisgarh	Arpa Bhaijhar Project in District Bilaspur of Chhattisgarh by M/s. Water Resources Department, Government of Chhattisgarh	8.5.2015
5	Tamil Nadu	Formation of Flood Carrier Canal from Kannadian channel to drought prone areas of Sathankulam, Thisayanvilai by interlinking Tamiraparani, Karumeniyar and Nambiyar Rivers in Districts Tirunelveli and Thoothukudi of Tamil Nadu by M/s. Public Works Department, Water Resources Organisation, Government of Tamil Nadu	28.5.2015
6	Telangana	Lower Penganga Irrigation Project in District Adilabad of Telangana by M/s. I & CAD Department, Government of Telangana	28.5.2015
7	Maharashtra	Krishna Marathwada Lift Irrigation Project in District Osmanabad of Maharashtra by M/s. Godavari Marathwada Irrigation Development Corporation, Government of Maharashtra	24.6.2015

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