

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2791
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.08.2015

CHECK DAMS

2791. SHRI RAM MOHAN NAIDU KINJARAPU:

Will the Minister of **RURAL DEVELOPMENT** be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of check dams constructed under the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) in the country including Andhra Pradesh State/UT-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has devised monitoring and regulatory checks to monitor the quality of work constructed under the MGNREGS; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)

(a): State/UT-wise details of number of check dams constructed under the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) since inception are given in **Annexure**.

(b)&(c): Yes, Madam. The Government has taken the following measures to monitor the quality of works constructed under the MGNREGS:-

Improving the quality of works

- The associated outcomes of each work are being recorded before taking up the work, and the same is being measured after completion of the work-thereby bringing in more focus on outcomes.
- Ministry would conduct training of Technical Resource Persons from the States/UTs on different technical aspects of type of works which can be taken up under the scheme.
- The States/UTs have been asked to deploy State Quality Monitors to inspect the quality of assets created under the Scheme.
- To facilitate states to engage technical assistants/barefoot engineers for better technical planning and supervision of works under MGNREGA, guidelines have been issued to allow their establishment cost as a part of material cost of works instead of administrative cost.
- Mobile Monitoring Systems has been introduced in 35000 GPs to empower GPs and implementation agencies with live data from the worksites and allow an online and real-time updation of database for complete transparency.

**Annexure referred in reply to part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred
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No.	States	Check dams constructed since inception (In. Nos.)
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	4819
2	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	0
3	ASSAM	166
4	BIHAR	2293
5	CHHATTISGARH	8701
6	GOA	0
7	GUJARAT	19892
8	HARYANA	696
9	HIMACHAL PRADESH	3993
10	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	1032
11	JHARKHAND	5356
12	KARNATAKA	42527
13	KERALA	3370
14	MADHYA PRADESH	335739
15	MAHARASHTRA	22519
16	MANIPUR	106
17	MEGHALAYA	1383
18	MIZORAM	16
19	NAGALAND	137
20	ODISHA	6796
21	PUNJAB	47
22	RAJASTHAN	16041
23	SIKKIM	6
24	TAMIL NADU	3647
25	TELANGANA	6714
26	TRIPURA	11130
27	UTTAR PRADESH	13543
28	UTTARAKHAND	4935
29	WEST BENGAL	7083
30	ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR	2
31	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	1
32	DAMAN & DIU	0
33	LAKSHADWEEP	1
34	PUDUCHERRY	0
	Total	522691