GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION

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IRRIGATION PROJECTS IN JHARKHAND

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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT AND GANGA REJUVENATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of irrigation projects operating in Jharkhand as on date;
- (b) the area being irrigated by these projects;
- (c) the names of irrigation projects which are not functioning properly;
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to rectify these irrigation projects; and
- (e) the extent to which the Government has achieved success from the steps taken?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT AND GANGA REJUVENATION (Dr. SANJIV KUMAR BALYAN)

- (a) & (b) As informed by State Government of Jharkhand, the names of irrigation projects operating in Jharkhand with their created potential and area being irrigated is enclosed as Annex-1.
- (c) to (e) State Government of Jharkhand has informed that a total of 102 completed Major and Medium Irrigation projects are not functioning properly due to lack of maintenance. Now these projects are being modernised and restored in a phased manner. Out of the above 102 projects, works of Extension, Renovation and Modernisation (ERM) of 30 projects is ongoing. Further, modernisation of 15 projects in phase I and 55 projects in phase-II has been sanctioned. The details are given in Annex-2, Annex-3 and Annex-4 respectively.
