GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES,

RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3086

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WATER PROJECTS IN RAJASTHAN

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

- (a) whether a number of water projects including Salgaon Project were started three decades back with a view to solve the water problem of Rajasthan particularly Mount Abu Region;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the reasons for the delay in their implementation;
- (c) the total cost of each such project alongwith the land acquired for Salgaon project; and
- (d) whether the Government has prescribed any time limit for the completion of the projects in view of the acute shortage of ground water in Mount Abu Region and if so, the details thereof alongwith the steps taken in this direction?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT AND GANGA REJUVENATION

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- (a) to (c) The State Government of Rajasthan has informed that Salgaon project for Rs. 35.00 crores at 2009 price level was envisaged for solving the drinking water problem of Mount Abu However, Salgaon project for Rs. 35.00 Crores at 2009 price level was envisaged for solving the drinking water problem of Mount Abu. The implementation of Salgaon project was delayed due to land acquisition and non-fulfilment of compliance to the wildlife clearance. No land has been acquired for Salgaon project.
- (d) In view of reply at (a) & (c) above, question does not arise.
