GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER & SANITATION

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3103 TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.08.2016

Piped Water Supply

3103. SHRI DUSHYANT CHAUTALA:

Will the Minister of DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is contemplating any plan of action to cover at least 90% of rural population with piped water supply by the year 2022, and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government is also seeking external financing including Asian Development Bank and World Bank for this purpose; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the follow up action taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION (SHRI RAMESH CHANDAPPA JIGAJINAGI)

- (a) Yes Madam. The Strategic Plan prepared by the Ministry for the rural drinking water sector for the period 2011-2022, stresses on extending the piped water supply to more households in the rural areas. The interim goal till 2017 is to cover 50% of all rural households with piped water supply. By 2022, the goal is to cover 90% rural households with piped water supply.
- (b) As the implementing agencies for undertaking rural drinking water supply schemes are the State Governments, the Ministry does not seek external financing from external financing institutions including Asian Development Bank and World Bank directly. However the project proposals submitted by State Government seeking external assistance from such institutions are examined in this Ministry and recommended for assistance to Department of Economic Affairs (DEA), Ministry of Finance which in turn have the authority to pose such project proposal for external assistance.
- (c) The details and the follow up action of project proposal received in this Ministry are at **Annexure**.

Annexure

	Status of Externally Assistance Projects under examination stage of this Ministry							
S. No	State	Project	Funding agencies	Project Cost		Follow up action		
)	Total Financial Outlay of project	Total External Assistance sought			
1.A	Uttarakhand	Uttarakhand Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Project-II	World Bank	Rs. 1800 crore	Rs. 1613.28 crores	Negotiation is going on with World Bank.		
1.B	Uttarakhand	Uttarakhand Rural Water Supply& Sanitation Project	NDB / AIIB	Rs. 1046.75 crore	Rs. 1046.75 crore	Govt. of Uttarakhand has requested for NDB (BRICS) financing. Screening committee has decided to defer the project and directed the State Govt. to confirm its willingness to get it financed from New Development Bank (NDB)		
2.A	Madhya Pradesh	Multi village rural water supply scheme	ЛСА	Rs. 2200 crore		Negotiation are going on with Japan International Cooperation Bank (JICA)		
2.B	Madhya Pradesh	Multi Village Rural Water supply Project	NDB	Rs. 4500.00 cr	Rs. 3150.00 cr	Letter to SG to Comply with the DEA Norms issued on 06.04.2016. Revised project proposal has been sent by State Government vide letter dated 04.05.2016 After observation of revised project proposal the Govt. of Madhya Pradesh vide this Ministry's letter dated 24.05.2016 has been asked for the clarification on the observation of this Ministry.		
3.A	Arunachal Pradesh	Provision of safe drinking Water to 1340 Rural habitations	NDB / AIIB	Rs. 926.07 crores	Rs.926.07 crore	It is suggested that Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh may approach for external funding from NDB / AIIB / World Bank etc. for taking up these schemes in the border areas of Arunachal Pradesh after obtaining approval from State Finance Department.		
3.B	Arunachal Pradesh	Proposal for covering 49 rural administrative headquarters with drinking water & Drainage	JICA	583.86 Crore	583.86 Crore	A Letter to State government has been issued regarding the requirement of Debt Sustainability Certificate and acceptance of Centre / State funding pattern as per the norms of DEA.		
4.	Sikkim	Multi Village rural Water Supply Scheme	NDB / AIIB	Rs. 1200 crores (187 million	168 million USD	DEA Screening Committee has not considered the proposal as no representative of Govt. of Sikkim was present at the meeting. Although Ministry support the proposal subject to review / validation of the per capita cost of the said proposal		

				USD)		by state technical agency. The same has been intimated to DEA vide this ministry letter dated 22.01.2016
5.A	Telangana	Telangana Drinking Water Supply project	NDB / AIIB	Rs. 36355.69 crores	Rs.19000	Screening committee decided to pose the project of Rs. 19000 crore to AIIB subject to concept note, required balance funding and debt sustainability certificate.
5.B	Telangana	Telangana Drinking water Supply Project (Mission Bhagiratha)	AIIB	Rs.6158.00 crore	Rs.4310.00 crore	The Govt. of Telangana has submitted the project proposal vide letter dated 24.07.2016.
6A	Himachal Pradesh	Three Nos. of Schemes	JICA & NDB / AIIB	Rs. 388.43 crore	Rs. 388.43 crore	In this regard, a meeting has been convened on 13.07.2016 in MDWS to deliberate upon the financial viability of the project and response of State government to the observation of NITI Aayog. In the meeting it is suggested that the DEA should be apprised about the actual present status accordingly and after the receipt of Minutes of Screening Committee meeting which is still awaited from DEA.
6.B	Himachal Pradesh	For providing water facility to left out/partially covered habitations in Rural areas of Himachal Pradesh	NDB / AIIB	Rs. 3330 Crore	3330 Crore	The State Technical Agency have to review / validate per Capita cost the project proposal. The same has been intimated to State Government.
7.	Odisha	Mega Piped Water Supply Project (MPWS)	NDB	RS.8500	70% of Total Project cost	In 52 nd Screening Committee on 02.09.2016, DEA requested State Government to send the revised proposal and the same would be posed for NDB financing subject to the availability of DPR of the Proposed Projects, counterpart funding of 30% by the state Government and comments / observation received from MoDWS for MPWS Project
8.	Meghalaya	Providing drinking Water and basic sanitation facility	ЛСА	6318.53 crore	6318.53 crore	A letter to State Govt. issued on 28.10.2015 for concurrence of State Planning / Finance dept. for the project and requesting to forward the same along with non-duplication certificate of similar schemes under other water supply Programme
9.	Rajasthan	Multi village Drinking Water Supply & sanitation Project	NDB / AIIB	Rs. 33930 crores	Rs. 33930 crores	Screening Committee to pose the project to NDB subject to Phasing/clubbing, furnishing of DPR to DEA, debt sustainability certificate & receipt of MDWS observation on the project. The Same has been intimated to State government.
10.	Karnataka	Multi village Drinking	NDB /	Rs. 3193.15	Rs.	State Government has been requested to submit coverage

		Water Supply Project	AIIB	crore	2714.18	status report, in Principal clearance from state planning and
					crore	finance dept. and non-duplication certificate.
11.	Maharashtra	Six Nos. of Schemes	NDB /	595.55	595.55	Letter to DEA, MOF forwarding the Preliminary Project
			AIIB	crore	crore	Proposal (PPP) from the State for BRICS / AIIB issued on
						16.02.2016 and a letter to State Government for furnishing
						the observation of this Ministry on the project proposal is sent
						via post on 13.05.2016.
12.	West Bengal	Four Nos. of Schemes	ADB	2064.37	2064.37	The DEA has rejected the proposal and the same has been
				crores	crores	intimated to Govt. of West Bengal vide this Ministry's letter
						dated 27.05.2016 requesting to re-submit the project proposal
						in compliance with the norms outlined by DEA.
						The govt. of West Bengal has re-submitted the project
						proposal and the same is under examination of this Ministry.
13.	Andhra	Andhra Pradesh Rural	AIIB /	Rs. 6230.00	Rs. 4361.00	The project proposal has been examined in this Ministry and
	Pradesh	Water Supply Project	NDB	crore	crore	State Government vide letter dated 13.05.2016 has been has
						been asked to re-submit the project proposal as per the
						observation of this Ministry.