

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES,
RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4220
ANSWERED ON 11.08.2016

REVAMPING OF WATER RESOURCES

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

(a) the status of conventional water resources in the rural areas of the country especially Uttar Pradesh at present due to current drought situation there; and

(b) the details of extinct water resources which has now been revamped so far?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION
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(a) As per the 4th Minor Irrigation (MI) Census (2006-07), 5,23,816 tanks, ponds and storages in India were used for Minor Irrigation Schemes under surface flow and surface lift. Out of these, 80,128 water bodies were not in use causing a loss of 1.95 million hectare irrigation potential due to under-utilization/ non-utilization. Out of 6879 total water bodies in U.P., 488 were not in use.

(b) Ministry of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation launched a pilot scheme for “Repair, Renovation and Restoration (RRR) of Water Bodies directly linked to Agriculture” in January 2005 for implementation during the remaining period of Xth Plan.

Further, the Ministry of Water Resources launched a State Sector Scheme for Repair, Renovation & Restoration (RRR) of water bodies for implementation during XI Plan. The scheme of RRR of Water Bodies has been continued in XII Plan also.

Since X Plan, under RRR of Water Bodies scheme, total 11865 water bodies from different States including Uttar Pradesh have been completed. The State-wise details of the water bodies completed is at Annexure-I.

Annexure-I

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) in respect of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.4220 on Revamping of Water Resources for answer on 11.08.2016.

Number of water bodies completed under RRR of Water Bodies scheme since inception

S. No	State	Pilot scheme (X Plan)	XI Plan		XII Plan
			External support	Domestic	
1	Andhra Pradesh	278	854	100	-
2	Bihar	6	-	14	-
3	Chhattisgarh	10	-	109	-
4	Gujarat	41	-	28	-
5	Himachal Pradesh	13	-	-	-
6	Haryana	-	-	3	-
7	Jammu & Kashmir	22	-	-	-
8	Jharkhand	60	-	-	-
9	Odisha	127	168	1128	38
10	Uttar Pradesh	-	-	28	-
13	Karnataka	297	1047	424	-
14	Kerala	21	-	-	-
15	Madhya Pradesh	70	-	78	82
16	Maharashtra	32	-	105	-
17	Meghalaya	-	-	1	-
18	Tamil Nadu	44	5009	-	-
19	Rajasthan	5	-	16	5
20	Manipur	-	-	-	-
21	Telangana	-	976	567	-
22	West Bengal	60	-	-	-
Total		1085	8054	2601	125