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Title: Regarding construction of dam on river Palar at Thoni Maduvu in Tamil Nadu -laid.

SHRI DNV. SENTHILKUMAR S. (DHARMAPURI): The Water from Barugur Hills coming under Mettur Taluk flows into Palar River near Thoni Maduvu on Tamil Nadu — Karnataka State border. A Reservoir has been proposed at Thoni Maduvu to store water for irrigation and portable purposes and the scheme would benefit about 11,000 acres of land spreading across 105 villages in Mettur Assembly constituency in Tamil Nadu.

It is learnt that about 190 acres of forest land and 60 acres of private land would be needed for implementation of this project. The State Government is required to approach the Centre for getting its consent and financial assistance for the implementation of this worthy project.