

and maintenance of standards of teaching examination and research in universities. In fulfilment of these objectives, the Commission had implemented a number of programmes during the Sixth Plan. 97 universities and 3524 colleges have been sanctioned financial assistance for strengthening their infrastructure and for implementing several programmes for improving the quality of teaching, examination and research.

Major Irrigation Projects in Orissa

1551. SHRIMATI JAYANTI PAT-
NAIK : Will the Minister of WATER

RESOURCES be pleased to state :

(a) the target date of the completion of each major irrigation project under execution in Orissa; and

(b) the progress made in the completion of each of those projects ?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RE-
SOURCES (SHRI B. SHANKARA-
NAND) : (a) and (b). The information is given in the statement given below.

Statement

Sl. No.	Name of Project	Rupees in Crores		Tentative target date of completion
		Latest estimated cost	Expenditure upto the end of VI Plan	
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Upper Indravati Multi-purpose Project.			
	(a) Dam (Chargeable to Irrigation component).	100.35	21.17	1990-91
	(b) Irrigation.	83.33	8.76	1990-91
2.	Mahanadi Birupa Barrage	92.65	49.17	1987-88
3.	Subarnarekha (Orissa share)	391.49	3.50	1994-95
4.	Rangali Multipurpose Project.			
	(a) Dam (Chargeable to Irrigation component).	31.92	29.28	1985-86
	(b) Irrigation.	792.04	43.58	1996-97
5.	Upper Kolab Multipurpose Project.			
	(a) Dam (Chargeable to Irrigation component).	41.94	28.59	1987-88
	(b) Irrigation.	75.42	16.36	1990-91
6.	Anandpur	12.18	11.50	1986-87

(Information based on draft Seventh Plan document of the State)