

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI
MADHAVRAO SCINDIA) : (a) No Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

**Research Projects by Indian Council
of Historical Research**

4706. SHRI PARASRAM BHARDWAJ :
Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE
DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have made
satisfactory arrangements regarding
research projects undertaken by the Indian
Council of Historical Research ;

(b) if so, the number of research
projects undertaken by the Council during
the last three years, Statewise ; and

(c) the amount sanctioned and utilised
for each project during the same period ?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN
RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT AND
MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY
WELFARE (SHRI P.V. NARASIMHA
RAO) : (a) to (c) Proposals for financial
assistance for research projects to scholars
are considered by the Research Projects
Committee of the Indian Council of
Historical Research in the light of

evaluation report from the experts.
Research projects are not sanctioned State-
wise. After the completion of the project,
the scholar is required to send a comple-
tion report along with the statement of
accounts. A statement giving the title of
the project, name of the scholar, amount
sanctioned and amount utilised/released in
respect of 76 projects sanctioned during
the last three years is laid on the Table of
the House.

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**Clearance of Maharashtra's Irriga-
tion Projects**

4707. SHRI R.M. BHOYE : Will the
Minister of WATER RESOURCES be
pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government of
Maharashtra has approached the Union
Government in regard to various major
and medium irrigation projects for
clearance ; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the
reaction of Union Government in this
regard ?

THE MINISTER OF WATER
RESOURCES (SHRI B. SHANKARA-
NAND) : (a) and (b) the required details
are given below :—

	<u>Major</u>	<u>Medium</u>	<u>Total</u>
Number of project reports received from Government of Maharashtra.	21	40	61
Number on which comments of Central Water Commission sent to Government of Maharashtra and their reply awaited.	19	17	36
Number of schemes cleared by TAC of Planning Commission.	—	12	12
Number of projects under examination in Central Water Commission.	2	11	13