

**Amount earmarked for the development of Irrigation Project in Gujarat**

**3859. SHRI AHMED M. PATEL:** Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION be pleased to state:

(a) the amount earmarked for the development of irrigation project in the State of Gujarat during the year 1976-77, district-wise;

(b) the amount spent out of the sanctioned amount;

(c) the amount earmarked for the year 1977-78; and

(d) the details of the project to be taken up?

**THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION (SHRI SURJIT SINGH BARNALA):** (a) and (b). The Government of Gujarat have reported that an amount of Rs. 54.13 crores was earmarked for the development of irrigation projects in the State for the year 1976-77. The district-wise break up of the earmarked outlay is given in the attached Statement.

The State Government have reported that the amount spent during the year was Rs. 61.00 crores.

(c) and (d). The outlay approved for 1977-78 is Rs. 73.03 crores. The State Government envisage to spend this amount on the following:

	No.
Ongoing Major Irrigation Projects	9
Ongoing Medium Irrigation Projects	27
New Medium Irrigation Projects	3
New Medium Irrigation Projects	35

**Statement**

No.	Name of District	Rs. in lakhs.
1	Ahmedabad	175.00
2	Baroda	11.37
3	Broach	295.69
4	Surat	284.85
5	Bulsar	259.80
6	abarkantha	126.29
7	Bansakantha	0.30
8	Mehsana	701.10
9	Panchmahals	1875.20
10	Bhavnagar	42.80
11	Surendranagar	0.55
12	Rajkot	96.75
13	Amreli	3.11
14	Kutch	50.50
15	Junagadh	326.02
16	Jamnagar	3.30
17	Kaira	111.00
18	Rajasthan State (Towards the cost of Mahin Isaj Sagar Project)	583.00
	Other Misc. scheme survey and investigation, research food control and drainage	5016.43
		5413.00

**Proposal for Assistance to Complete Damodar Drainage Scheme**

**3860. SHRI SAUGATA ROY:** Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND IRRIGATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether his Ministry has received any proposal from West Bengal Government for assistance to complete Lower Damodar Drainage Scheme;