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Drinking Water in the States

(ब) यदि हां, तो उसको किस प्रकार उपयोग किया जाएगा।

विका, सनाव कल्याच तथा संस्कृति जंबासम में राज्य मंत्री (श्री घना सिंह जुलराम): (क) भीर (ख). यद्यपि केवल संघ महर्मवद्यासयों के संबंध में किसी भी बीजना पर विकार नहीं किया जा रहा है, तो भी स्वयंसेची संगठनों को प्रशिक्षण और किसा परियोजनाओं / कार्यक्रमों के लिए सहस्वसादी जाती है, जिनमें संस महानिद्यालयों की स्वापना और विस्तार भी शामिल है। इसके प्रतिरिक्त राज्य सरकारों की भी योजनाए है, जिनके सर्वणत स्थ विद्यालयों/ महाविद्यालयों को सहाबना दी जाती है।

Educational Training Institute in Bastar District

6242. SHRI AGHAN SINGH THA-KUR: Will the Minister of EDUCA-TION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CUL-TURE be pleased to state.

- (a) whether there is any educational training institute in Bastar district m Madhya Pradesh;
- (b) if not, whether Government are considering a proposal to set up training institute there with a view to remove backwardness of the district; and
- (c) if so, when and the name of the place where this institute is proposed to be set up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, SOCIAL WELFARE AND CULTURE (SHRIMATI RENUKA DEVI BARKATAKI): (a) None, set-up by the Government of India.

- (b) No, Sir. This falls primarily within the purview of the State Government.
 - (c) Does not arise.

- 6348. SHRI FAQUIR ALI ANSARI: Will the Minister of WORKS AMD HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND RE-HBILITATION be pleased to state:
- (a) whether Government have asked the State Governments to solve the drinking water problem and explore all possible sources of financial assistance for the purpose.
- (b) if so, the salient features of the Central directive to States in this regard.
- (c) the extent to which the State Governments have started work to provide drinking water to the people:
- (d) the percentage of people in the country who are at present getting safe drinking water, and
- (e) the Central assistance being provided to each State for this purpose and the steps taken to ensure its proper use?

THE MINISTER OF WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUPPLY AND RE-HABILITATION (SHRI SIKANDAR BAKHT) (a) and (b) The State Governments were asked on 39th May, 1977 to indicate the stage of implementation of water supply schemes for problem villages to enable the Government of India to assess the requirement of additional funds for those schemes during 1977-78, under the Centrally Sponsored Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme.

- (c) Under this Programme, Water Supply Schemes of 13048 problem villages were taken up during 1977-78 by the State and Union Territories Governments
- (d) According to information available, 80 per cent (approx.) of urban population and 10 per cent (approx.) of rural population has been presided with safe drinking water.

(e) Under this Programme the following Central Grants-in-aid were released to the States/Union territories during 1977_78

Name of State/Union terri	itory Amount of aid given during 1977-78
States	(Rs. in lakhs)
1. Andhra Pradesh .	. 152.30
2. Assam	. 57.60
3. Bihar	. 242.80
4. Gujarat	. 332.80
5. Haryana	. 142.10
6. Himachal Pradesh .	. 222.60
7. Jammu & Kashmir .	, 152.80
8. Karnataka	. 142.30
9. Kerala	. 102.00
o. Maharashtra	. 312.80
II. Madhya Pradesh	252.80
12. Manipur	. 252.50
3. Meghalaya	• 25.00
14. Nagaland	• 77.50
15. Orissa	. 182.80
16. Punjab	. 102.10
17. Rajasthan	. 252.30
18. Sikkim	36.50
19. Tamil Nadu	217.30
20. Tripura	. 80.50
21. Uttar Pradesh .	. 252.80
22. West Bengal .	242.80
Union Territories	RELITATION
1. Andaman & Nicobar	Island 20.00
2. Arunachal Pradesh	20.00
3. Goa. Daman and Div	1
4. Delhi , .	10.00
5. Mizoram .	15.00
S. Pondicherry .	10.00

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The above assistance was in addition to provision of funds made under the Minimum Needs Programme in the State Sector.

To ensure that the scheme approved under the programme are implemented as expeditiously as possible. special financial assistance (included in the assistance detailed above) was given to the States for setting up Monitoring Cells and Investigation Units under the State Chief Public Health Engineer to investigate and monitor the progress of schemes. In addition, the officers of the Ministry of Works and Housing maintain close with the State Government authorities for watching the progress of implementation. Also, financial assistance was released according to the progress achieved on ground.

Allotment of Plots in Pritampura, Delhi

6244. SHRI KACHARULAL HEM-RAJ JAIN: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING AND SUP-PLY AND REHABILITATION be pleased to refer to the replies given to Unstarred Question No. 4690 on 25th July, 1977 and Unstarred Question No. 3501 on 12th December, 1977 regarding allotment of plots in Pritampura, Delhi and state:

- (a) the progress so far made with regard to the development of plots in Pitampura:
- (b) by what time this work is likely to be completed and actual allotment of the plots made to those who have given their option in this regard;
- (c) the number of persons who have given their acceptance for alternative plot in Pritampura Residential Scheme and deposited one thousand each with the D.D.A.; and
- (d) the number of plots developed/ to be developed for allotment to these applicants?