

	(In lakh ha.)
(i) Western Kosi Canal	
By June, 1984	0.20
By June 1985	0.78 (cumulative)
and by June 1987	2.08 (cumulative)
(ii) Gandak Project	
By 1984-85	10.61 (Bihar portion)
(iii) Kosi Barrage and Eastern Kosi Canal	
By 1983-84	3.88
(iv) Sone High Level Canal	
By 1983-84	1.604
(v) Rajpur Canal	
By 1983-84	1.25 (Full potential)
(vi) Basna Canal	
There is no Basna Canal Project. Presumably, it is Barnar Project, By 1983-84	No potential is expected from this project.

Irrigation Potential created at the Block and Gram Panchayat's level is not maintained at the Centre.

(b) No proposal for remodelling Bhim Nagar barrage to enable adequate hydel generation from the Western Kosi Canal head has been received from the Government of Bihar.

Regarding silt ejector, revised designs and drawings are in progress based on hydraulic model studies conducted at CWPRS, Pune. Tenders for the construction of silt ejector have been invited and are under processing with the Bihar Irrigation Department.

Bihar Govt. are taking necessary steps to ensure that construction of structures are proceeding as per overall targets fixed. The position of structures towards the end of January 1983 is as under :—

Nepal portion	India portion		
	Nepal border to Bhutahi Balan	Bhutahi Balan to Kamal crossing	Kamla crossing to Tail

Total	65	23	42	Total of about 200 structures are involved. The works are yet to start.
Completed	32	7	nil	
Under Progress	24	5	7	
Tenders invited	8	4	5	
Designs being prepared	1	7	30	

(c) For Kamla syphon and approaches on left and right guide banks, drawings have been finalized. Tenders for guide banks have also been invited.

Details of structures on the Western Kosi Canal beyond Kamla crossing and the earth work details are yet to be finalised by the State. However, there are about 200 structures on the main canal and the branches beyond Kamla crossing.

Land acquisition proceedings are in progress for starting works on the canal beyond Kamal.

Regularisation of Services of Muster Roll Workers/Casual Labourers

10784. SHRI NAGINA RAI : Will the Minister of IRRIGATION be pleased to state :

(a) whether his Ministry received any order in the year 1979, which was issued by the Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Ministry of Home Affairs) regarding regularisation of services of muster roll workers/casual labourers appointed by his ministry and its depts./subordinate offices ;

(b) whether these orders have not so far been implemented by his Ministry, departments/subordinate offices ; if so, the reasons therefor ; and

(c) what action government propose to get them implemented ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF IRRIGATION (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Regularisation of services of muster roll/casual labourers

10785. SHRI NAGINA RAI : Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state :

(a) whether his Ministry received any order issued by Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms (Ministry of Home Affairs) in 1979 regarding regularisation of services of muster roll workers/casual labourers appointed by his Ministry and its Department/subordinate offices ;

(b) whether these orders have not so far been implemented by his Ministry, Department/subordinate offices, if so, the reasons therefor ; and

(c) what action Government propose to get them implemented ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI BHAGWAT JHA AZAD) : (a) to (c). All the Offices under the Ministry were advised to implement the instructions received from the Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms on the subject. According to available

information, the instructions are being implemented.

Afforestation Programme in Kalahandi District of Orissa

10786. SHRI RASA BEHARI BEHERA : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) the details of the afforestation schemes taken in 1982 and proposed for 1983 in Kalahandi District of Orissa, with area brought under afforestation ;

(b) whether it is a fact that afforestation with fruitless trees has created great resentment in the areas, with details of the type of trees being planted ;

(c) whether his Ministry is aware of the fact that the soil and topography of Kalahandi is suitable for growing mango and cashewnut trees helping both soil conservation and environment and also giving a source of livelihood to the tribal people of Orissa ; and

(d) if so, steps taken to plant mango, and cashewnut trees in Kalahandi District in a big way and the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) : (a) to (d). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Connecting of villages of Orissa with all weather roads

10787. SHRI RASA BEHARI BEHERA : Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) the number of villages of Orissa for which a scheme of providing all weather road links during 1980-81 was sanctioned and the total cost thereof ;

(b) the funds allocated for its implementation in 1980-81, 1981-82, 1982-83 and 1983-84 ;

(c) the amount out of these allocated to each districts ;