

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4949
ANSWERED ON:20.12.2002
WORLD BANK ASSISTANCE FOR KARNATAKA
SRIKANTA DATTA NARASIMHARAJA WADIYAR

Will the Minister of FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the State Government of Karnataka have submitted any concept paper seeking financial assistance from World Bank for various departments in that state;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the action taken thereon?

Answer

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance (SHRI ANANDARAO V. ADSUL)

- (a) Yes, sir.
- (b) & (c) The details are annexed.

Annexure

Project Proposals received from Government of Karnataka for seeking World Bank assistance

S.No	Name of the Project	Objective	Cost estimate	Present Status
1	Karnataka Water Supply Management and Municipal Strengthening Project	To improve the capacity of Urban local bodies and to manage the delivery of urban basic services in the state by state Govern-ment.	The project cost is yet to be finalized	State Government is preparing the proposal through Project preparation facility (PPF) of the World Bank
2	Karnataka Municipal Reform Project	Aims to support comprehensive municipal reforms by covering 50 cities of Karnataka State local urban bodies	Rs 980 crs.	Posed to World Bank on 10-4-2002.
3	Community Heralded Empowerment Transformation and New Awakening (CHETNA)	To reduce poverty	Rs 1170 crs.	Posed to World Bank on 13.8.2002
4	Karnataka Water Resources Consolidation Project	To improve the performance, productivity & sustainability of State's Water Resources Sector	Rs 2103 crs.	State Government is yet to submit a formal proposal for seeking World Bank assistance.
5	Karnataka Structural Adjustment Programme	Fiscal reforms and governance reforms	Rs. 1250 crs.	State has been requested to reformulate the project in accordance with guidelines recently issued.

