GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FINANCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1334 ANSWERED ON:08.03.2002 WORLD BANK LOAN FOR RURAL WATER SUPPLY SCHEME DINSHA J. PATEL

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received financial assistance from World Bank/International Monetary Fund for Rural Water Supply Schemes;

(b) if so, the details thereof during the last three years;

(c) whether any project was taken up in Gujarat with WB/IMF assistance; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Agreements for the following loan amounts were signed with the World Bank for the Rural Water Supply projects during the last three years:-

1999-2000 - Nil 2000-2001 - \$ 65.50 million (for Kerala Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Project 2001-Feb.2002 - Nil

(c) and (d) At present there is no such proposal from the Government of Gujarat.