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Tennis	2 Gold 1 Bronze	1994 1994
Weightlifting	1 Silver 3 Bronze	1994 1994
Yachting	2 Bronze	1994
Commonwealth Games		
Boxing	1 Bronze	1994
Shooting	3 Gold 2 Silver 2 Bronze	1994 1994 1994
Weightlifting	3 Gold 7 Silver 1 Bronze	1994 1994 1994
Wrestling	2 Silver	1994

Construction of SSP Dam

1357. SHRI SANAT MEHTA : Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state :

(a) the action taken by the Government to start the work of construction of the Dam of Sardar Sarovar Project in current season as the work had stopped at 80.3 metres in the last working season;

(b) the total expenditure incurred on this project; and

(c) whether it is a fact that Chief Minister of Gujarat has sought the help of Prime Minister in this respect in his meeting with Prime Minister on November 7, 1996 at Delhi?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JANESHWAR MISHRA) : (a) The seventh meeting of Review Committee for Narmada Control Authority was convened on 13.11.1996 to consider, inter-alia, the construction programme of Sardar Sarovar Dam for the year 1996-97. It was decided therein that the height of Sardar Sarovar Dam be raised upto E1 110 metres in the spillway portion during 1996-97. However, the work would commence in the first week of December, 1996. In the meantime Resettlement and Rehabilitation measures for the balance affected persons of Madhya Pradesh upto E1 81.5 m would be completed within a fortnight by Gujarat. Madhya Pradesh has agreed to extend all help and cooperation in this regard. After review of the implementation of Resettlement and Rehabilitation measures at E1 81.5 m, similar reviews will be undertaken for every 5 metre height of the dam jointly by the concerned Resettlement and Rehabilitation sub-group and Environment sub-ground comprising representatives of States also, so that the construction work could progress *pari passu* with the implementation

of Resettlement and Rehabilitation measures in a manner that they are completed in terms of actual shifting of all Project Affected Persons by 31st May 1997.

(b) An expenditure of Rs. 4958.79 crores has been incurred on the project upto September, 1996.

(c) Chief Minister of Gujarat has held discussions with the Hon'ble Prime Minister in this regard.

[Translation]

Funds for Irrigation Department of U.P.

1358. SHRI ASHOK PRADHAN : Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government have released funds or propose to release funds to the Irrigation Department of Uttar Pradesh for the construction of a dam to save the affected villages of Dadri and Jewar Legislative Assembly constituencies of Khurja Parliamentary Constituency from floods in the river Yamuna;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the steps being taken by the Government to tackle the problems caused by the flood waters of river Yamuna in Khurja Parliamentary constituency in Uttar Pradesh?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JANESHWAR MISHRA) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) No proposals for construction of a dam to save the affected villages of Dadri and Jawar Legislative Assembly constituencies of Khurja Parliamentary Constituency from floods in the river Yamuna have been received in the Ministry of Water Resources.

(d) The problem caused by flood waters in this area was discussed in the Yamuna Committee in its 53rd meeting wherein it was decided that U.P. Government may construct required flood protection works on their side within the norms of the Yamuna Committee to provide protection against erosion.

[English]

Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya Tarkwari (H.P.)

1359. DR. LAXMINARAYAN PANDEY : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government's attention has been drawn to the distressing plight of the students of Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya Tarkwari (Hamirpur, H.P.) due to non-availability of elementary amenities;

(b) if so, the action taken in the matter;