

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

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ANANDPUR BARRAGE PROJECT OF ORISSA
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) the estimated cost of Anandpur Barrage Project in Orissa;
- (b) the progress made so far and the total hectares of land likely to be brought under irrigation on completion of the project; and
- (c) the amount sanctioned/released by the Govt. to the State Govt. and the target set for completion of the project?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) to (c) The Anandpur Barrage project with latest estimated cost of Rs. 486.26 crore envisages to provide irrigation to an area of 60,000 hectare on completion, against which irrigation potential of 6,790 hectare has been created upto May, 2004. Some components of this project have been included under Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (AIBP) since 1996-97 and an amount of Rs. 21.85 crore has been released as Central Loan Assistance (CLA) upto March, 2004. The project is scheduled for completion by March, 2008.