GOVERNMENT OF INDIA WATER RESOURCES LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1767 ANSWERED ON:04.12.2006 IRRIGATION PROJECTS OF MAHARASHTRA Khaire Shri Chandrakant Bhaurao

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) The names of the irrigation projects in Maharashtra which got foreign assistance;
- (b) The quantum of foreign assistance received during the last three years, project-wise;
- (c) The amount out of the above spent on the said irrigation projects in the State during the said period;
- (d) The number of irrigation proposals pending with the Government and the reasons therefor; and
- (e)The time by which the proposals are likely to be approved?

Answer

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

(a)to(c) At present two projects for irrigation are under implementation in Maharashtra with external assistance. A statement indicating names of the ongoing externally assisted irrigation projects and quantum of funds disbursed by the funding agency during the last three years is annexed. The Government of Maharashtra is also participating in the Hydrology Project which is under implementation with World Bank assistance.

(d)&(e)No proposal of Maharashtra for external assistance for irrigation project is pending with the Ministry of Water Resources.