

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:14
ANSWERED ON:05.07.2004
CAUVERY WATER DISPUTE
Thakkar Smt. Jayaben B.

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Prime Minister has convened a meeting of the Cabinet Committee on Political Affairs (CCPA) recently to discuss the issues relating to sharing of Cauvery water between Karnataka and Tamil Nadu; and

(b) if so, the details of deliberations held alongwith outcome thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) The Cabinet Committee on Political Affairs (CCPA) during its Meeting held on 17.6.2004 was apprised of rainfall during South-West monsoon period in the Meteorological Division of Tamil Nadu & Pondicherry, the South-Interior Karnataka and Kerala in the current year as well as the inflows and storage position of five major reservoirs of Cauvery Basin. CCPA took note of the situation.