

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
WATER RESOURCES  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4173

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ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR IRRIGATION PROJECTS

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**Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether his Ministry has demanded additional funds for expeditious completion of various irrigation projects;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the names of projects which are incomplete as a result of shortage of funds, State-wise;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to fully fund some of the irrigation projects which would irrigate one lac hectare of land and benefit two and more States;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the status of such projects; and
- (e) the funds allocated for each of these projects, project-wise?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VINCENT H. PALA)

- (a) & (b) In the present circumstances, allocation of Rs. 9200 crore made for Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme including Rs. 2200 crore for National Project for the year 2010-11 is sufficient.
- (c) No Madam.
- (d) & (e) Do not arise.