GOVERNMENT OF INDIA WATER RESOURCES LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4222 ANSWERED ON:21.04.2010 DAMS IN GUJARAT Taviad Dr. Prabha Kishore

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of major dams in Gujarat including the dams in Tribal dominated areas location-wise;
- (b) the catchment areas in the State, dam-wise;
- (c) the number of people rehabilitated as a result of submersion, including tribal and non-tribal; and
- (d) the command area in hectares benefited by the construction of these dams?

Answer

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

(a) to (d) Irrigation is a state subject and planning, execution, funding, resettlement & rehabilitation works of the project affected persons etc is within the purview of respective state governments. However, Government of Gujarat has informed that there are 18 major irrigation dams in Gujarat of which 8 major dams are in Tribal dominated area. The dam wise details of the catchment area, number of people rehabilitated as a result of submersion including tribal and non-tribal and command areas of these dams as received from Government of Gujarat are given in Annex-I.