

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

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IRRIGATION TECHNOLOGY TO FARMERS
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is providing know-how of latest irrigation techniques to the farmers;and
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the funds allocated for the purpose during the last three years and the current year, State-wise?

Answer

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

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Farmers are provided with know how of latest irrigation techniques on micro irrigation system, water and soil-moisture conservation practices, integrated farming, system of rice intensification (SRI), integrated nutrient management and reclamation of soils through drainage under Farmers` Participatory Action Research Programme (FPARP) and Command Area Development & Water Management (CADWM) programme. Under FPARP, funds are given to institutes to carry out demonstrations on above noted identified techniques. Under CADWM Programme, funds are provided to State Governments for conducting training and demonstrations. Details of funds released under FPARP and CADWM during the last three years and the current year, state-wise are given at Annex I & II respectively.