

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

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FLOOD MANAGEMENT
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposals from the State Government of Himachal Pradesh for Swan river flood management and integrated land development projects and canalization work of Seer Khand in Bilaspur district;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the action taken by the Union Government thereon; and
- (c) the funds allocated for these projects by the Union Government so far?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): A scheme namely "Swan River Flood Management & Integrated Land Development Project (Phase-II)" in district Una (HP) has been approved under "Flood Management Programme(FMP)" on 10-07-2009 for providing central assistance to the State. The estimated project cost for flood works intimated by the State Government of Himachal Pradesh is Rs. 184.27 Crore; out of which an amount of Rs. 165.84 Crore would be the Central share. The Central Assistance amounting to Rs. 60.75 Cr has been released to the state government towards the aforesaid work as on 31-07-2010.

The second proposal regarding canalization of Seer Khand in Bilaspur district has not been received for central assistance under FMP.