## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA WATER RESOURCES LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2373 ANSWERED ON:24.11.2010 BRAHMAPUTRA BOARD PROJECTS Deka Shri Ramen

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

- (a) the details of funds released to Brahmaputra Board during each of the last three years and the current year; and
- (b) the details of projects executed and completed by Brahmaputra Board during the above period?

## **Answer**

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

(a): The details of funds released to Brahmaputra Board during each of the last three years and the current year is as under:-

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Year Released (In Crore)
2007-08 33.85
2008-09 91.1965
2009-10 41.31
2010-11 (up to 31-10-2010) 56.18
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- (b): The details of projects executed and completed by Brahmaputra Board during the above period are given below:
- 1. Protection of Majuli Island from Flood and Erosion of river Brahmaputra, Phase-I. (Revised cost 56.07 crore). The works were started in February 2005 and 97% of works have been completed.
- 2. Emergent works for protection of Majuli Island based on the recommendations of the Standing Committee of Experts in January 2008 (Estimated cost 4.99 crore). The works were completed in year 2008-09.
- 3. Protection of Majuli Island from Flood and Erosion, Phase-II & Phase-III (estimated cost 115.03 crore). The works were undertaken in 2009-10 and 18.8% of works have been completed.
- 4. Avulsion of river Brahmaputra at Dholla Hatighuli, Phase-III, in Tinsukia District(estimated cost of 8.474 crore). The works were taken up during March 2007 and completed by March 2008.
- 5. Avulsion of river Brahmaputra at Dholla Hatighuli Phase-IV (estimated cost 53.11 crores). The works were undertaken in 2009-10 and 38.8% of works have been completed.
- 6. Anti-erosion works of Nagrijuli, Rangia town and Mukamua/ Borbhag area from flood and erosion of Puthimari river costing `4.89 crore have been completed in 2009-10.
- 7. Protection of Kushiabil & Durgajan Village from river Dhansiri at Dimapur, Nagaland, Phase-II, costing `1.79 crores was completed in 2007-08.
- 8. Drainage Development Schemes (DDS):

The Brahmaputra Board has taken up the execution of seven numbers of Drainage Development Schemes (DDS) viz. Harang (30.49 crores), Barbhag (7.23 crores), Amjur (18.84 crores), Jengrai (1.49 crores), Jakaichuk (2.96 crores), East of Barpeta (1.34 crores) and Singla(3.54 crores). The progress made on execution of these schemes is 97.5%, 28%, 15%, 27%, 40%, 41.6% and 3% respectively.