GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RURAL DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2524 ANSWERED ON:10.03.2011 KAPILDHARA WELLS Bhaiya Shri Shivraj

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of `Kapildhara` wells sanctioned in Madhya Pradesh under the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) in the financial year 2010-11;
- (b) the number of Kapildhara` wells that have been completely dug/lying incomplete;
- (c) whether any irregularity has been noticed under the construction of Kapildhara wells scheme;
- (d) if so, whether the Government will conduct an independent inquiry in regard to the incomplete `Kapildhara` wells; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI PRADEEP JAIN 'ADITYA')

- (a): As per reports available on MIS, a total of 13202 Kapildhara wells have so far been sanctioned in Madhya Pradesh under the Mahatma Gandhi NREGA in the current financial year.
- (b): A total of 428 Kapildhara wells have been completed so far, 11432 are in progress and the remaining have not yet been started.
- (c) to (e): The Ministry has received 5 complaints regarding irregularities in Kapildhara Yojana in Madhya Pradesh. As implementation of Mahatma Gandhi NREGA is done by the State Governments, all complaints received in the Ministry are referred to the State Government for taking appropriate action as per the provisions of the Act.