

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
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NABARD S LOAN FOR RURAL INFRASTRUCTURAL UNITS
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of loan disbursed by National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development(NABARD) to State Governments out of Rural Infrastructural Development Fund(RIDF) for creating new rural infrastructural units and also for completing infrastructure projects including agriculture projects during the last three years and as on date, State-wise;
- (b) the details of the infrastructure projects under implementation in different States and progress made thereof during the said period;
- (c) whether despite increase in funds every year, there has been continuous decrease in loan disbursement by the RIDF:
- (d) if so, the details thereof and reasons therefor: and
- (e) the steps taken by the Government for increasing consolidated amount under RIDF?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (Shri S.S. Palanimanickam)

- (a): As reported by NABARD, the details of loan disbursed by it under the Rural Infrastructure Development Fund to all State Governments for creating infrastructure projects including new rural infrastructure units during the last three years and current financial year are given in Annex-I
- (b): NABARD has reported the State-wise details of infrastructure projects sanctioned under RIDF and under implementation in different States as on 31 March 2010 in Annex-II.
- (c): There has been continuous increase in loan disbursements under RIDF over the year, as evident from the disbursement figures given in Annex I.
- (d)& (e): Does not arise.