

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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FLOOD CONTROL PROJECTS

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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) the areas which are affected due to floods every year, State-wise;
- (b) the details of flood control proposals, if any, received from the States, including Uttar Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh;
- (c) the expenditure incurred and progress made in these projects in the last three years;
- (d) the reasons for delay, if any; and
- (e) the funds allocated for water conservation and storage, State-wise including in Madhya Pradesh during the last three years?

Answer

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

- (a) As per the report submitted by the XI Plan Working Group of Water Resources, the state wise details of flood prone area in the country are given at Annexure-I.
- (b) During XI Plan, central assistance is being provided to state governments for taking up river management/ flood control works in critical reaches under a state sector scheme namely, "Flood Management Programme (FMP)". The proposals submitted by the state governments for seeking central assistance under FMP are considered by an Empowered Committee under the chairmanship of Secretary (Expenditure), Ministry of Finance to ensure cost effective solutions. A total of 353 works from 22 states with a total estimated cost of Rs. 6796.93 crore have been included under "FMP" during XI plan. Out of 353 approved works, 21 works with a total cost of Rs. 557.19 Crore are from the state of Uttar Pradesh. No flood control proposal from the state of Madhya Pradesh received/ approved under FMP.
- (c) to (d) During XI Plan, central assistance amounting to Rs. 2669.01 crore (including Rs. 89.79 crore for spilled over works of X Plan) has been released under FMP to the concerned States as on 31.07.2011. A total of 218 works have been reported physically completed as on 31.03.2011. The state-wise details of works approved, funds released and works completed are given at Annexure-II.
- (e) State-wise details of the funds released during the last three years for water conservation and storage under the State Sector Schemes namely "Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (AIBP)" and "Repair, Renovation & Restoration (RRR) of Water Bodies" are given at Annexure-III.