

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:633

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PROPOSAL FROM MAHARASHTRA FOR RESTORATION OF WATER BODIES

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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Maharashtra Government has sent proposal for national pilot projects for repairs, renovation and restoration of water bodies;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, project-wise; and
- (c) the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b) The Government of Maharashtra submitted proposals for three districts, viz., Beed Nanded and Yavatmal during Xth Plan under the Pilot Scheme `National Project for Repair, Renovation and Restoration of water bodies directly linked to Agriculture`.
- (c) The Government of India sanctioned project for restoration of 32 water bodies in Beed district of Maharashtra at the estimated cost of Rs.36.88 crore.