

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
WATER RESOURCES  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1811  
ANSWERED ON:01.12.2011  
CONSTRUCTION OF EMBANKMENTS  
Mithlesh Shri

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

- (a) whether any proposals have been submitted by the State Governments to the Union Government for the construction of embankments for flood control;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (c) the reaction of the Union Government thereto?

**Answer**

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

(a) Yes Sir.

(b) State-wise no of proposals for the construction of embankments for flood control currently under techno-economic appraisal by Ganga Flood Control Commission (GFCC) and Central Water Commission (CWC) are given at Annexure-I.

(c) As per the guidelines of Planning Commission, flood management projects including construction of embankments are techno-economically appraised by GFCC and CWC in their respective jurisdiction. The proposals costing more than Rs. 15 Crore after techno-economic appraisal by GFCC and CWC are considered by the Advisory Committee on Irrigation, Flood Control and Multi Purpose Projects for techno-economic clearance. Thereafter, the proposals are considered for Investment Clearance by the Planning Commission and then by the Empowered Committee for funding under Flood Management Programme.