

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
WATER RESOURCES  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2530

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CONSTRUCTION OF CHECK DAMS

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

- (a) whether the Union Government has urged the State Governments to construct check dams across rivers so as to store surplus water and also prepare detailed Report thereon;
- (b) if so, the response of the State Governments thereto;
- (c) whether the Union Government has allocated additional funds for the construction of check dams across the course of the rivers; and
- (d) if so, the details of the additional assistance to each State during the last three years and the current year?

**Answer**

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

- (a) No, Sir. Union Government has not urged the State Governments to construct check dams across rivers so as to store surplus water and also prepare detailed report thereon.
- (b) to (d) Does not arise.