GOVERNMENT OF INDIA WATER RESOURCES LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3494 ANSWERED ON:15.12.2011 IRRIGATION SCHEMES Kaswan Shri Ram Singh

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of schemes submitted to the Central Water Commission, Flood Management Board, Central Ground Water Board by the Department of Irrigation in Rajasthan in the last three years and yearwise details thereof;
- (b) the number of schemes out of them that have been approved;
- (c) the schemes under consideration of the Government; and
- (d) the expected time by which these are likely to be sanctioned?

Answer

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

- (a) 7 Nos. of irrigation projects and 1 No. of Flood Management Programme have been received in Central Water Commission from Department of Irrigation in Rajasthan during the last three years for techno-economic appraisal (2 projects during 2009, 2 projects during 2010 and 4 projects during 2011). No proposal has been received in Central Ground Water Board.
- (b) 4 Nos. of irrigation projects have been accepted by the Advisory Committee of Ministry of Water Resources.
- (c) 3 Nos. of irrigation projects are under appraisal in Central Water Commission and 1 No. of Flood Management Programme was examined and comments were sent to Department of Irrigation in Rajasthan.
- (d) Clearance of projects depends upon time taken by the project authorities in compiling the observations of the Central Water Commission & other Central Agencies and submission of statutory clearances from Ministry of Environment and Forest, etc.