

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3671
ANSWERED ON:15.12.2011
REVIEW OF THE NATIONAL WATER POLICY
Siddeswara Shri Gowdar Mallikarjunappa

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has constituted any review committee to go into all the aspects of new developments to be incorporated in the National Water Policy;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the details of the recommendations made by the committee; and
- (c) the likely time-frame by which the new policy would be formulated and declared?

Answer

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

- (a) Yes, Madam. Ministry of Water Resources has initiated review of national Water Policy, 2002. A Drafting Committee has been constituted to draft National Water Policy.
- (b) & (c) The Drafting Committee has submitted draft National Water Policy which is under examination in the Ministry of Water Resources.