GOVERNMENT OF INDIA WATER RESOURCES LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3487 ANSWERED ON:29.07.2009 COMMAND AREA DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME Lagadapati Shri Rajagopal

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has decided to implement Command Area Development Programme (CADP) as State sector scheme;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of projects under CADP undertaken as on date, State-wise including Andhra Pradesh;
- (d) the funds allocated to various State Governments under the programme for the last three years and the current year, State-wise; and
- (e) the progress achieved as a result of the programme?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b) Yes, Sir; The Command Area Development & Water Management (CADWM) programme has been approved as a State Sector Scheme for four years of XI Five Year Plan (2008-09 to 2011-12) with an outlay of Rs. 1600 crore.
- (c) & (d) The Statewise details of ongoing CADWM projects as on date and Central assistance released to various State Governments (including Andhra Pradesh) under the programme for the last three years and the current year is enclosed as Annexure.
- (e) As per the progress reports furnished by the State Governments, the area covered under On-Farm Development (OFD) works during 2008-09 in the scheme is 429.705 Thousand hectares.