

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
WATER RESOURCES  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:670  
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SURVEY ON CONTAMINATION OF DRINKING WATER  
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**Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Central Ground Water Board carries out surveys on habitation basis to identify the habitations where drinking water is contaminated with Fluoride, Aresenic and Nitrate;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

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

- (a)&(b) No Sir, Central Ground Water Board does not carry out surveys on habitation basis to identify the habitations where drinking water is contaminated with fluride, arsenic and nitrate.
- (c) The subject matter is not covered under the mandate of Ministry of Water Resources.