

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4578
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NATIONAL WATER POLICY
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the objective of the National Water Policy, which was drafted in 2002 has been achieved;
- (b) if so, the major achievements thereof;
- (c) whether the Government is planning to increase the spending during the Twelfth Five Year Plan period to achieve the objectives stated in the draft of the National Water Policy, 2012; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) As per stipulations of National Water Policy 2002, Ministry of Water Resources has implemented various schemes as per details given at Annexure I.

(c) & (d) Yes, Madam. The outlay for water sector for various Central / State Sector Schemes during XI Five Year Plan was Rs. 50161 crore. Based on the recommendations of the Working groups constituted for the XII Plan an outlay of Rs. 218625 crore has been proposed which is subject to approval.