GOVERNMENT OF INDIA WATER RESOURCES LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6758 ANSWERED ON:17.05.2012 DRINKING WATER SUPPLY Ajay Kumar SHRI

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken note that the people of Mango region and adjoining areas of Jamshedpur are suffering from lack of drinking water supply;

(b) if so, the steps taken by the Government for laying of water pipeline on NH-33 passing through Mango and adjoining areas;

(c) the expected time by which the drinking water supply would resume in these areas; and

(d) the details of Government schemes or action plan for such areas to solve the water crisis in Mango region and adjoining areas of Jamshedpur?

Answer

THE MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND WATER RESOURCES (SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL)

(a) Ministry of Drinking Water & Sanitation has informed that Mango Urban Area is presently served by a Water Treatment Plant (WTP) of 5.5 Million Litres per Day (MLD) capacity. This is not sufficient for the present population of this area.

A new WTP of 48 MLD is under construction which will serve this area.

(b) For laying of pipe line along NH-33 Drinking Water & Sanitation Department, Government of Jharkhand has submitted a formal proposal to the Road Construction Department for allowing road stretch for laying of pipeline.

(c) As per information given by the Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation, Government of India, six months is required to lay the pipeline along NH-33, after land use permission is granted.

(d) Details of the Scheme are as under:

i) Name of Scheme: - Mango Water Supply
ii) Estimated cost: - 64.14 crores
iii) WTP Capacity:- 48 MLD
iv) Details of Elevated Storage Reservoir (ESR)
1st 25 lakhs liters
2nd 18 lakhs liters
3rd 11.5 lakhs liters
4th 10.5 lakhs liters
v) Raw Water Rising Main (pipe) 4.2 kilometers
vi) Clear Water Rising Main (pipe) 7.8 kilometers
vii) Distribution Main
148.6 kilometers