## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FINANCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:146 ANSWERED ON:22.02.2013 NATIONAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT PROJECT Siricilla Shri Rajaiah

## Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Germany is assisting the National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development's (NABARD's) national resources management project; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof, project wise, phase-wise and State-wise for the Eleventh and Twelfth Plan period?

## **Answer**

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance (Shri Namo Narain Meena)

(a) & (b):- Yes Sir. Under Umbrella Programme on Natural Resource Management(UPNRM), the German Development Corporation(GDC) has sanctioned assistance to NABARD in two phases.

UPNRM Phase-I has a loan component of 15 Million Euro and a grant component of 12.9 Million Euro, totaling 27.9 Million Euro.

UPNRM Phase-II has a loan component of 52 Million Euro and grant component of 2 Million Euro, totaling 54 Million Euro.

The projects satisfying the criteria stipulated under UPNRM could be sanctioned by NABARD throughout the country and no specific State-wise allocation has been made. However, presently, these projects are being implemented in 16 States and Union Territory of Andaman & Nicobar Islands. The State-wise sanction and disbursement under UPNRM, as on 15 February, 2013 are given in Annexure.