

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

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EMBANKMENTS IN MADHYA PRADESH
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of embankments constructed so far in Madhya Pradesh;
- (b) whether embankments of most of the States are in dilapidated/worst position and they need repair, maintenance and renovation;
- (c) if so, whether any repair is likely to take place on these embankments before arrival of next monsoon season;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI HARISH RAWAT)

- (a) As per the data compiled by the XII Plan Working Group on Flood Management and Region Specific Issues, a total of 26 km. of embankments were constructed in Madhya Pradesh upto 31.3.2011.
- (b) to (e) No general study on national level has so far been conducted about the dilapidated/worst position of embankments. The embankments are maintained by the State Governments and required actions for their repair, maintenance and renovation are taken by the concerned State Governments as per requirement.