

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
WATER RESOURCES  
LOK SABHA**

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IRRIGATION PROJECTS IN MADHYA PRADESH  
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**Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of mega and medium irrigation projects sanctioned by the Union Government for implementation in Madhya Pradesh during the last two Five Year Plans;
- (b) the details of the plan funds earmarked and disbursed to these projects and the time-frame fixed for their execution;
- (c) the details of the projects which remain incomplete at present and the reasons therefor and the project-wise details of the increase in time and cost as a result of the delay;
- (d) the steps being taken to complete them early;
- (e) the details of the projects completed including the area under irrigation and the benefits accrued to the farmers, project-wise; and
- (f) the other steps being taken by the Government to strengthen the irrigation system in the State?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI HARISH RAWAT)

- (a) The details of the major and medium irrigation projects of Madhya Pradesh considered and accepted by the Advisory Committee of Ministry of Water Resources during last two Five Year Plans, is given at Annex-I.
- (b) The Central Government has released Central Assistance (CA) to the eligible Major and Medium Irrigation Projects included in Accelerated Irrigation Benefit Programmme (AIBP). The details of Central Assistance released during last Five Year Plans to the projects included in AIBP, their year of inclusion in AIBP, actual/ likely date of completion under AIBP are given at Annex-II.
- (c) The details of ongoing projects under AIBP including their cost at the time of inclusion in AIBP, latest approved cost and the reason for delay in their completion is given at Annex-II.
- (d) The eligible projects included under AIBP are required to be completed as per the timeframe agreed by the State Governments as entered into the an MoU. The Central Government provides Central Assistance to these projects for their expeditious completion.
- (e) & (f) The list of projects completed under AIBP and their potential creation target is given at Annex-III.