GOVERNMENT OF INDIA WATER RESOURCES LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:708 ANSWERED ON:08.08.2013 REPAIRING OF BUNDS Maadam Shri Vikrambhai Arjanbhai

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the programme chalked out by Union Government for repairing the damaged and weak river bunds in Gujarat;

(b) whether the Union Government has offered funds to the State Government and suggested measures to fight flood in the State during the coming years; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI HARISH RAWAT)

(a), (b) & (c) Flood management being within the purview of the State Governments, the programmes for repairing the damaged and weak bunds, if any, in the State of Gujarat are formulated by the State Government of Gujarat. No such proposal has been received in the Ministry of Water Resources from the State Government of Gujarat for any technical advice or central assistance.