

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2108
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RANODAR TAITAROL PROJECT
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the work related to `Diggis` is not being carried out in the Ranodar Taitarol project situated at Jalore across the Narmada river even after passing of one year due to lack of funds;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any time limit has been fixed to make available Narmada river's water to eight lakh people of 281 villages of Jalore, Aahore and Bagoda;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER FOR WATER RESOURCES (SHRI HARISH RAWAT)

(a) & (b) No such specific project proposal has been appraised in the Ministry of Water Resources.

(c) to (e) Narmada Canal Project , approved by the Planning Commission in the year 1993, was accorded investment clearance for the revised cost of the project of Rs.2481.49 crores (2009 price level) in July, 2010 with the targeted completion of the project by the year 2012-13. The Planning Commission accorded extension of time with the approved cost in July, 2013 with the targeted completion of the project by the year 2014-15. Narmada canal has a provision of 131.25 Million Cubic Metre water for drinking purposes which will benefit villages in Jalore and Barmer Districts.