

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
WATER RESOURCES  
LOK SABHA**

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IMPLEMENTATION OF AIBP  
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**Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government has reviewed the implementation of the Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (AIBP) in various States; and

(b) if so, the State-wise details of projects completed since the inception of the programme?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER FOR WATER RESOURCES (SHRI HARISH RAWAT)

(a) The performance of the Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (AIBP) is reviewed by the Ministry of Water Resources from time to time and particularly on yearly basis with the Principal Secretaries/ Secretaries (Water Resources/ Irrigation Department) of the respective State Governments in order to achieve further improvement in its implementation, to discuss important issues which include physical and financial progress of the projects against the targets agreed in the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) signed by the State Governments, proper monitoring of the projects, etc.

(b) State-wise details of the Major/Medium irrigation projects completed since the inception of the programme is at Annexure-I and for Surface Minor Irrigation schemes is at Annexure-II.