

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION  
LOK SABHA**

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ALLOCATION UNDER NRDWP

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**Will the Minister of DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:**

(a) whether 5 percent of allocation under National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP) has been earmarked for rural habitations in some areas of the country identified by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare where drinking water sources have been contaminated by chemicals;

(b) if so, details thereof; State/UT-wise; and

(c) the details of the works undertaken for providing safe drinking water in the said areas;

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION (SHRI BHARAT SINGH SOLANKI)

(a) (b) & (c) Under the National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP) 5% of annual national outlay is earmarked for allocation to States which have habitations with drinking water sources affected by chemical contamination and with States reporting incidences of Japanese Encephalitis and Acute Encephalitis Syndrome (JE/AES). Out of this earmarking funds, 75% of funds are allocated to States reporting chemical contamination of drinking water sources while remaining 25% of funds are for State affected by JE/AES. While the habitations reporting contamination of drinking water sources with chemical contamination is reported by the States on the Integrated Management Information System (IMIS) the State JE/AES affected districts have been informed by Ministry. The State/UT wise details of funds released under National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP) to States under the earmarked component for chemical and bacteriological contamination and the schemes/works undertaken by the States under this component is at Annexure .