

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

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STATUS OF NATIONAL IRRIGATION PROJECTS
Lal Shri Kirodi

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) the status of each of the national irrigation projects,project-wise;
- (b) the funds allocated and released for each of the projects during the last three years and the current year;and.
- (c) action taken by the Government to complete these projects within the scheduled time frame?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES(SHRI VINCENT H. PALA)

(a) & (b) There are 14 Nos of Major Irrigation Projects which have been included in the Category of National Projects. The status of these projects including the Central assistance released within the last three years and the current financial year is given in Annexure 1.

(c) The State Governments are requested to complete the National Projects within a period of five years after start of release of Central Assistance to them for which a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is signed by the State Government with the Government of India. Guidelines for implementation of National Projects provide adoption of measures for timely completion of the projects.