GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1965 ANSWERED ON:04.12.2014 CHAMBAL DRINKING WATER PROJECT Baheria Shri Subhash Chandra

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

- (a) the progress of Chambal drinking water project which is to provide water to Bhilwada and Chittorgarh regions in Rajasthan;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to complete the said project within the prescribed time limit and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the drinking water is to be provided to Bhilwada town in the first phase of the project and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to provide additional budget to complete the project at the earliest; and
- (e) if so, the details thererof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION (SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV)

(a) As per the information provided by the State Government of Rajasthan, the drinking water from this project is to be supplied to the Bilwara district only covering 9 towns and 1688 villages. No town and villages of Chittorgarh are targeted to be benefited from this project.

The Project is divided into two phases:-

- (i) Chambal Bhilwara Water Supply Project Phase I- for Rs 728.00 crores. The details are enclosed at Annexure -A.
- (ii) Chambal Bhilwara Water Supply Project Phase II for Rs 1495.68 crore. The details are enclosed at Annexure A
- (b) Yes, Madam. The details of the progress of the project is at annexure-A
- (c) Yes, the drinking water will be provided to Bhiiwara city in phase-I of the project.

The details of the project are given in Annexure-B.

(d) The project is to be completed as per the Budget provisions mentioned in (a) above. The Budget provision for 2014-15 as per modified Budget Finance Committee (BFC) 2014-15 is Rs. 284.50 Crores under State Plan and NRDWP. Details are enclosed at Annexure - C.