GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION LOK SABHA

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

- (a) the number of targeted habitations to be covered under the National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP) during the Bharat Nirman Phase-I and Phase-II separately along with the achievements made so far, State/UT-wise;
- (b) the funds provided and expenditure incurred during Phases I and II separately, State-wise and UT-wise; and
- (c) the steps taken/proposed to be taken to achieve the targets set in this regard?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b) The Physical and Financial details during Bharat Nirman-I and II are at Annexure-I and II respectively.
- (c) Rural Water Supply is a State Subject. Under the centrally sponsored National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP), this Ministry is giving special emphasis on piped water supply through perineal surface water sources in rural habitations. States are urged to prioritize the coverage of partially covered habitations and quality affected habitations in their Annual Action Plans. The Ministry has pre- pared a Strategic Plan extending the piped water supply to more households in the rural areas. The interim goal till 2017 is to cover 50% of all rural households with piped water supply. By 2022, the goal is to cover 90% rural households with piped water supply.