GOVERNMENT OF INDIA WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT AND GANAGA REJUVENATION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1718 ANSWERED ON:30.07.2015 World Bank Loan for Development of Irrigation Yeddyurappa Shri B. S.

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT AND GANAGA REJUVENATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the total loan received from the World Bank for the improvement and development of irrigation in the country including Karnataka during the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise;
- (b) whether the loan received have been fully utilized by the concerned States/UTs particularly Karnataka;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons there for; and
- (d) the directions issued by the Government to the concerned States/UTs in this regard?

Answer

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT AND GANGA REJUVENATION

(PROF. SANWAR LAL JAT)

- (a) During the last three years and the current year (2012-16), an amount of US\$ 360 million (equivalent to Rs. 1984 crore) was received from the World Bank as loan assistance for the Uttar Pradesh Water Sector Restructuring Project Phase-2 (UPWSRP-II). This Project was started on 24.10.2013 and its closing dated is 31.10.2020. The total cost of the project is US\$ 515 million, out of which loan assistance from the World Bank is US\$ 360 million. No proposal has been received in respect of Karnataka during the last three years and the current year.
- (b) to (d) As on 31.5.2015, an amount of US\$ 36.19 million has been disbursed for the Uttar Pradesh Water Sector Restructuring Project Phase 2.
