

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

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Solar Energy Based Dual Pump Piped Water Supply Scheme

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

(a) the name of the States where Solar Energy Based Dual Pump Piped Water Supply Scheme has been implemented in the country;

(b) the details of the financial assistance provided to States under the said Scheme by the Government during the last three years, year-wise and State-wise; and

(c) the current status of the said Scheme, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION
(SHRI RAMESH CHANDAPPA JIGAJINAGI)

(a) Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation with the assistance of National Clean Energy Fund (NCEF) and National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP) funds has provided financial assistance to 10 States namely Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Odisha, Uttar Pradesh, West Bengal and Maharashtra during 2012-13 to 2014-15 for installation of 11,068 Solar Energy based dual pumps in these States. So far, 12,550 such solar pumps have been installed in these States. Besides, extension of this scheme has also been started in the year 2014 with the collaboration of Ministry of New and Renewable Energy Fund (MNRE) under which a target of installation of 15,400 Solar power based dual pumps in 17 States namely, Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Gujarat, Haryana, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Odisha, Punjab, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu, Telangana, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal has been given.

(b) & (c) The details of financial assistance provided to States under National Clean Energy Funded scheme are as under:-

(Rs. in Lakhs)

Name of the State 2012-13 2013-14 2014-15 Total amount released (Rs. In Lakhs)

Sr. No. Amount Released (Rs in lakhs) Amount Released (Rs in lakhs) Amount Released (Rs in lakhs)

1 Andhra Pradesh 312.12 0 131.22 443.34

2 Bihar 573.24 0 0 573.24

3 Chattisgarh 1958.4 0 2065.4 4023.8

4 Jharkhand 2186.88 0 2306.37 4493.25

5 Madhya Pradesh 1364.76 0 1439.33 2804.09

6 Maharashtra 77.52 0 81.76 159.28

7 Odisha 3594.48 0 3790.88 7385.36

8 Telangana 0 0 197.93 197.93

9 Uttar Pradesh 195.84 0 206.54 402.38

10 West Bengal 801.72 0 845.53 1647.25

Total 11065 0 11064.96

22129.92

Under extension of the scheme which is jointly funded with the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, funds are not provisioned separately for the purpose. The funding of the scheme is to be carried out from regular NRDWP-Coverage and sustainability funds released to States and a partial subsidy of Rs. 0.40 Lakhs approximately is to be provided by MNRE directly to the State Renewable Agencies. Hence, funds details for this scheme separately are not maintained by the Ministry. As per information provided by the States on the online portal of the Ministry, the current status of the scheme is at Annexure.