

Title: Need to accord sanction to Integrated Water and Sanitation Project of Andhra Pradesh for providing water and sanitation facilities in schools throughout the State.

DR. RAJESWARAMMA VUKKALA (NELLORE): The Government of Andhra Pradesh has come out with a scheme of "Integrated Water and Sanitation Project" with the intention of providing the above facilities throughout the State in schools. The Government of Andhra Pradesh had submitted a proposal to the Government of India for utilisation of funds provided by the Department for International Development (DFID) of USA for the Integrated Water and Sanitation Project which is the first of its kind in the country. The Government of India had been requested by the Government of Andhra Pradesh to consider this proposal on priority basis, if needed, by amending the paragraph 13.2 of the Project Memorandum of Andhra Pradesh District Primary Education Project (DPEP) in consultation with the Department for International Development (DFID). I request the hon. Minister of Human Resource Development through you, sir, to clear the project at the earliest as the academic year has already commenced.