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Title: Need to release the funds earmarked under Accelerated Irrigation

Benefit Programme for Sardar Sarovar Project in Gujarat .

SHRIMATI JAYABEN B. THAKKAR (VADODARA): Sir, under the Accelerated Irrigation Benefit Programme (AIBP) for Sardar Sarovar Project in Gujarat, the outstanding amount due for release is Rs. 194 crores for the year 2006-07 and Rs. 450 crore for the year 2007-08, totalling Rs. 644 crore.

I urge upon the Government to release the funds at the earliest.

MR. DEPUTY-SPEAKER: Smt. Minati Sen - not present.