Title: Regarding construction of dam on rivers Shilabati and Dwarakeswar in West Bengal.

SHRI SAUMITRA KHAN (BISHANPUR) : I would like to draw attention towards water scarcity being faced by the entire nation. In this connection, I would say that surplus water is flown away during the rainy season through rivers. This water could be reserved for raising the ground water table. In my area Bankura, Bishnupur etc. rivers like Shilabati, Dwarakeswar get overflowed during the raining season. A dam can be built on these rivers for recharging the water table. I urge the Government to take suitable steps in this regard.