

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER & SANITATION
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.726
TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.02.2019

Drinking Water Facilities in Schools

†726. SHRI GOPAL SHETTY:

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

- (a) the policy of the Government to provide drinking water facilities in the schools located in rural areas;
- (b) whether any targets have been fixed during the last Five Year plan to provide drinking water facilities in these schools;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the State-wise achievements made in this regard during the said period;
- (d) whether the fixed targets could not be achieved in many States;
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and
- (f) the steps taken/proposed to be taken to achieve the targets?

ANSWER

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

- (a) to (f) The Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation provides technical and financial assistance to States under the National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP) for supplementing their efforts in providing drinking water supply in rural areas including schools. The assistance under the programme includes provision of drinking water supply in schools which were constructed prior to 2007. For schools constructed post 2007, facility specific to school is funded through Ministry of Human Resource Development (MoHRD). States have been advised to provide facilities in the vicinity of school premises while planning / executing NRDWP water supply schemes.

As informed by Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of School Education and Literacy, state-wise details of percentage of drinking water facilities and functional drinking water facilities in Government Schools is given at Annexure-I.

Annexure-I

Annexure referred to in part (a) to (f) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 726 for answer on 07/02/2019.

State-wise details of Percentage of Drinking Water facilities and functional Drinking Water facilities in Government schools

S. No.	State/UTs	Schools with drinking water facilities	School with functional drinking water facilities
1.	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	100	95.93
2.	ANDHRA PRADESH	93.24	83.64
3.	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	79.5	65.45
4.	ASSAM	92.79	84.67
5.	BIHAR	94.52	89.86
6.	CHANDIGARH	100	100.00
7.	CHHATTISGARH	99.22	89.59
8.	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	100	98.01
9.	DAMAN & DIU	100	97.48
10.	DELHI	100	100.00
11.	GOA	100	96.33
12.	GUJARAT	99.94	100.00
13.	HARYANA	99.84	97.66
14.	HIMACHAL PRADESH	100	96.72
15.	JAMMU & KASHMIR	91.25	81.40
16.	JHARKHAND	96.22	90.73
17.	KARNATAKA	99.62	98.14
18.	KERALA	99.35	95.91
19.	LAKSHADWEEP	100	100.00
20.	MADHYA PRADESH	95.56	82.94
21.	MAHARASHTRA	99.48	94.79
22.	MANIPUR	96.63	66.74
23.	MEGHALAYA	62.34	51.32
24.	MIZORAM	93.53	79.48
25.	NAGALAND	79.92	64.92
26.	ODISHA	99.79	85.81
27.	PUDUCHERRY	100	100.00
28.	PUNJAB	99.99	99.99
29.	RAJASTHAN	96.53	85.32
30.	SIKKIM	97.6	84.41
31.	TAMIL NADU	100	97.85
32.	TELANGANA	98.96	73.28
33.	TRIPURA	89.68	77.85
34.	UTTAR PRADESH	98.11	87.90
35.	UTTARAKHAND	95.21	81.33
36.	WEST BENGAL	98.87	90.77
	All State	96.96	88.52

Source: UDISE 2016-17 (Provisional)