

Orissa are being implemented with external assistance; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Upper Indiravati Project assistance from OECF, Japan—3.744 billion yen. Upper Kolab Project assistance from OECF, Japan—3.769 billion yen. World Bank assisted National Water Management Project-7 project proposals estimated to cost a total of Rs. 32.15 crores cleared for preparation of detailed project reports. World Bank assisted Dam Safety Assurance and Rehabilitation Project—Orissa component Rs. 73.71 crores.

#### **Suram Palem Reservoir Project**

3831. SHRI K.V.R. CHOWDARY: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Suram Palem Reservoir Project in East Godavari District of Andhra Pradesh is pending with the Union Government; and

(b) if so, the time by which it is likely to be cleared?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) No, Sir. Suram Palem Reservoir Project in East Godavari District of Andhra Pradesh has not been received at the Centre.

(b) Does not arise.

#### **Flood-Control Schemes in Tripura**

3832. SHRIMATI BISHU KUMARI DEVI: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether some schemes for control of floods in Tripura are pending with the Union Government; and

(b) if so, the time by which those are likely to be cleared?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) There is no flood control scheme at present in Central Water Commission for clearance.

(b) Does not arise.

#### **Central assistance for construction of Sea-Wall in Kerala**

3833. SHRI T.J. ANJALOSE: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Kerala has requested the Union Government to extend financial assistance for the construction of sea walls to prevent sea erosion in the State; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) and (b) A Statement giving details of financial assistance rendered for the construction of sea walls to prevent sea erosion in the State is attached.

#### **STATEMENT**

*Details of financial assistance rendered to the State Government of Kerala for the construction of sea walls to prevent sea erosion in the State.*

Considering the financial constraint and urgency, the Central Government has been extending Central loan assistance to Kerala since 1972-73. For Phase I programme comprising construction of 320 km. of new sea walls and reformation of 70 km. of damaged sea walls in critical areas. Out of total expenditure of Rs. 94.74 crores upto March 1991. Centre has contributed Rs. 49.05 crores as per agreed norms. Nearly 97% of new works and 61% of reformation works have been completed. In addition, the State Government has now come up with phase II comprising construction of about 128 km. length of new sea walls and approximately 54 km. of reformation works at an estimated cost of Rs. 156 crores, seeking assistance on the existing pattern.

The State Government has been requested to come up with scheme-wise detailed project reports for phase II works supported by the approval of State Technical Advisory Committee, as per guide-