

Regarding desilting of the Sathanur Dam

SHRI C. N. ANNADURAI (TIRUVANNAMALAI): Thank you hon. Speaker, Sir. The Sathanur Dam on the Thenpennai River, which is also called as Pennaiyar River, is one of the major dams in Tamil Nadu. This Dam is the main source of drinking water for the people of Tiruvannamalai Parliamentary Constituency. However, its basic problem is silt since its construction.

I request the hon. Minister of Jal Shakti to instruct officers concerned to make a comprehensive project for desilting of the Sathanur Dam. This will ensure safe piped drinking water supply to all the households in my constituency.

Thank you.