

Need to ensure effective distribution and availability of water for irrigation and drinking purposes in Bundelkhand region of Uttar Pradesh.-laid

SHRI ANURAG SHARMA (JHANSI): I wish to draw the attention of the Government to the issue of water availability in the Bundelkhand region, particularly concerning the Betwa River and the allocation of water from Rajghat and Matatila Dams. The data received from the Irrigation Department indicates that despite sufficient water storage in these reservoirs, there are concerns regarding the optimal distribution of water for irrigation, drinking purposes, and the upcoming Bundelkhand Industrial Development Authority (BEDA). Given the significance of these water sources for agriculture, industrial development, and daily needs, I urge the Government to take immediate steps to ensure an equitable and efficient water distribution mechanism. Furthermore, necessary consultations should be held with the concerned authorities to address this pressing issue and secure a sustainable water supply for the UP region.