

Regarding need to expedite construction of proposed Nandini Dam on Mahanadi-Rushikulya Inter Basin Water Transfer Link in Bansadhara Basin-Laid

SHRIMATI ANITA SUBHADARSHINI (ASKA): Mahanadi (Baramul) Rushikulya Inter-State Link Project has a proposal to construct Nandini Dam on Nandini Nalla a tributary of Harabhangi reservoir in Bansadhara Basin. The main purpose of this project is to store water in the proposed Nandini reservoir and supply water to Harabhangi reservoir through a 4 Km. long cover canal for providing water to 7025 hectare during Rabi Season of Harabhangi command in the adjacent Rushikulya basin. This inter basin water transfer link will be a boon to the people of this area who otherwise suffering from frequent drought. I urge the Government to expedite the above said project.