

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1657
ANSWERED ON:05.12.2005
PENDING IRRIGATION PROJECTS OF KARNATAKA
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether some of the important irrigation projects of Karnataka are lying pending with the Union Government for long period;
- (b) if so, the details of these projects;
- (c) the estimated cost of each of these projects; and
- (d) the time by which these projects are likely to be cleared?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR HEAVY INDUSTRIES, PUBLIC ENTERPRISES AND WATER RESOURCES (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV)

(a) to (d) Out of 5 irrigation project proposals (4 major and 1 medium) received from Government of Karnataka two irrigation projects (1 major and 1 medium) are under various stages of appraisal and three major irrigation projects of Karnataka have been technically accepted by the Advisory Committee of Ministry of Water Resources subject to compliance of few observations. The details of these five projects are in the statement enclosed.

The time taken for clearance of projects depends upon the promptness with which the State Government arrange compliance to the observations of Central appraising agencies.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1657 TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.12.2005 REGARDING PENDING IRRIGATION PROJECTS OF KARNATAKA.

Sl. No.	Name of Major/ River/ District	Date	Benefit Estt.	Category
No. Projects	Medium Basin Rec-eipt	Benefited of (Th Ha.)	(Th Cost Rs.cr.)	
1	Singatalur (Huligudda) Lift Irrigation Scheme	Major Tungabhadra / Krishna	Godage Bellary 7/98	16.188 123.00 A
2	Basapur Lift Irrigation Scheme	Medium Tungabhadra / Krishna	Dharwad 11/96	2.267 9.36 A
3	Hippargi Irrigation Project	Major Krishna	Bijapur 8/85	59.69 186.70 B
4	Markandeya	Major Markandeya / Krishna	Belgaum 5/97	19.105 209.85 B
5	Upper	Major Tungabhadra	Shimoga, 1/02	80.494 1052.33 B

Tunga /Krishna Davanagere
Project Haveri

STATUS:

A- Project under various stages of appraisal B-Accepted by the Advisory Committee of Ministry of Water Resources subject to certain observations