

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3543
ANSWERED ON:16.12.2005
SWAJALDHARA RURAL DRINKING WATER PROJECTS
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the budget allocation to each State during the year 2005-06 for the implementation of the Swajaldhara Yojana;
- (b) the maximum limit of cost of such a project; and
- (c) the extent of benefit accrued to each State under the Swajaldhara Yojana particularly in Rajasthan till date, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI A. NARENDRA)

(a) As per Swajaldhara Guidelines, upto 20% of the annual budget provision for Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP) is earmarked for the projects under Swajaldhara. The State-wise allocation under Swajaldhara for the financial year 2005-06 is as per Statement annexed.

(b) No maximum limit of cost of project has been prescribed in Swajaldhara Guidelines.

(c) The benefits under Swajaldhara are institutionalization of community participation in rural drinking water sector. The panchayats/communities have the powers to plan, implement, operate, maintain and manage a scheme chosen by them with full ownership of assets. The number of projects approved till date under Swajaldhara including Rajasthan, is indicated in the Statement annexed.

Annexure

Statement referred to in parts (a) and (c) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question no. 3543 to be answered on 16.12.2005.

State / UT	Central allocation for the year 2005 inception of Scheme in 2002-03	Number of projects approved till date since
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1 A & N Island	25.01	No project received
2 Andhra Pradesh	3045.35	2631
3 Arunachal Pradesh	933.61	181
4 Assam	1571.29	502
5 Bihar	2232.74	8492
6 Chhattisgarh	750.97	163
7 D & N Haveli	16.67	1
8 Delhi	12.5	No project received
9 Goa	28.05	No project received
10 Gujarat	1629.73	423
11 Haryana	511.69	364
12 Himachal Pradesh	1250.82	1352
13 Jammu & Kashmir	2900.6	2497
14 Jharkhand	805.61	161
15 Karnataka	2253.99	672
16 Kerala	784.65	272
17 Madhya Pradesh	2200.27	2244
18 Maharashtra	4019.88	1370
19 Manipur	320.93	No project received
20 Meghalaya	366.77	43
21 Mizoram	262.58	19
22 Nagaland	270.91	30

23	Orissa	1807.4	1085
24	Pondicherry	12.5	No project received
25	Punjab	530.53	20
26	Rajasthan	4580.72	2018
27	Sikkim	112.53	No project received
28	Tamil Nadu	1730.13	1441
29	Tripura	325.1	195
30	Uttar Pradesh	3608.1	1987
31	Uttaranchal	834.12	349
32	West Bengal	1938.9	135

Total 41674.65 28647