

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:3
ANSWERED ON:17.02.2006
DRINKING WATER SUPPLY TO RURAL AREAS
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of rural habitations which have been covered, partially covered and not covered with drinking water supply facilities under various programmes during each of the last three years and current year in each district of the country, State-wise and Union Territory-wise; and

(b) the future plan of the Government during the Tenth Plan period for achieving full coverage of rural habitations with drinking water supply facilities in the country?

Answer

MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (DR. RAGHUVANSH PRASAD SINGH)

(a) & (b) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 3 TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.02.2006

(a) The status of coverage during the last three years and the current year, State/Union Territory -wise, under various programmes for rural drinking water supply is annexed (Annexure I). District-wise data is not maintained at the Central level.

(b) Rural drinking water is one of the components of Bharat Nirman, which has been conceived as a plan to build rural infrastructure in a 4 year period – 2005-06 to 2008-09, which covers the last two years of the Tenth Plan. The plan of the Government under Bharat Nirman for rural drinking water supply is to fully cover 55,067 uncovered habitations. In addition, all habitations which have slipped back from full coverage to partial coverage due to failure of source and habitations which have water quality problems will also be covered. For this purpose, the Central budget for rural water supply schemes has been increased from Rs. 2900 crores in 2004-05 to Rs. 4050 crores in 2005- 06. Also, a decision has been taken to strengthen the Sub-Mission for water quality and allocate upto 20% of the funds of Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP) for focused funding for water quality problems during the remaining period of the Tenth Plan.

ANNEXURE I

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN PART (a) OF THE STATEMENT IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION No. 03, DUE FOR REPLY ON 17.02.2006.

2002-03 2003-04 2004-05 2005-06 (till 31.12.2005)

Sl. No.	State/UT	Uncovered habitations			Slipped back habitations affected			Quality			Total				
		NC	PC	Total	NC	PC	Total	NC	PC	Total	NC	PC	Total		
1	Andhra pr.	0	3224	3224	0	12067	12067	0	4129	4129	18	675	693	159	852
2	Arunachal pr.	28	86	114	48	121	169	92	162	254	22	20	42	0	42
3	Assam	160	3631	3791	71	4463	4534	67	4488	4555	50	1670	1720	0	1720
4	Bihar	0	0	0	0	10	5	15	71	50	121	3	124		
5	Chhattisgarh	0	0	0	0	0	2678	1119	3797	1893	1746	3639	1	3640	
6	Goa	4	10	14	0	8	8	3	22	25	0	0	0	0	0
7	Gujrat	67	564	631	28	1155	1183	56	874	930	4	4	7	321	328
8	Haryana	0	48	48	0	0	0	0	473	473	123	123	0	123	
9	Himachal pr	500	1375	1875	574	1077	1651	0	1770	1770	940	940	0	940	
10	J. & K.	724	707	1431	208	95	303	117	223	340	61	173	234	0	234
11	Jharkhand	200	28	228	105	21	126	578	1572	2150	220	309	529	0	529
12	Karnataka	1	6136	6137	0	6002	6002	0	6030	6030	1265	1265	31	1077	1108
13	Kerala	555	20	575	228	220	448	95	2150	2245	20	440	460	0	587
16	Manipur	15	100	115	0	100	100	17	53	70	20	24	44	0	44
17	Meghalaya	159	216	375	171	198	369	211	180	391	0	5	5	45	53
18	Mizoram	0	180	180	0	164	164	12	162	174	0	0	0	0	0

19 Nagaland	277	29	306	31	70	101	7	39	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20 Orissa	0	0	0	0	0	5528	0	5528	3222	1372	4594	256	4850						
21 Punjab	321	389	710	262	484	746	306	320	626	288	231	519	117	105	222	22	763		
22 Rajasthan	1156	9434	10590	1986	0	1986	674	10559	11233	207	207	0	8821	8821	96	9124			
23 Sikkim	0	130	130	0	120	120	0	120	120	22	22	0	0	0	0	22			
24 Tamil Nadu	0	0	0	0	0	3013	3507	6520	1867	1353	3220	270	3490						
25 Tripura	0	332	332	0	0	0	247	247	0	52	52	0	52						
26 Uttar Pr.	0	0	0	0	0	92	0	92	1152	1694	2846	48	2894						
27 Uttaranchal	56	351	407	18	256	274	194	199	393	4	28	32	117	193	310	342			
28 West Bengal	0	6539	6539	0	6752	6752	2693	2906	5599	180	2078	2258	26	2284					
29 A&N Islands	0	10	10	0	9	9	0	0	0										
30 D&N Haveli	8	5	13	11	202	213	1	58	59	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1		
31 Daman & Diu																			
32 Delhi																			
33 Lakshadweep	0	10	10	0	10	10	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
34 Pondicherry	0	23	23	40	81	121	0	71	71	14	14	0	7	7	0	21			
35 Chandigarh																			
Total	4388	34862	39250	3914	35822	39736	21731	47908	69639	653	5958	6611	12128	26627	38755	2180	47546		

NC: Not Covered PC: Partially Covered FC: Fully Covered