

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4343

ANSWERED ON:19.05.2006

PENDING CCD PROPOSAL

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**Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government of Gujarat submitted a proposal regarding approval of Communication and Capacity Development (CCD) to the Union Government in February,2005 with a view to helping the village community in ensuring the sustainability of the drinking water security systems in draught prone areas of the State.

(b) if so, whether the aforesaid proposal is still lying pending with the Union Government.

(c) if so, the reasons therefor;

(d) the present status of the proposal and;

(e) the time by which the proposal is likely to be accorded approval by the Union Government ?

**Answer**

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

(a) Proposal for setting up of Communication and Capacity Development Unit (CCDU) has been received.

(b) to (e) The proposal has been approved and an amount of Rs.185.00 lakhs has been released to State Government of Gujarat vide this Ministry's sanction order dated 24.6.2005 for the effective implementation of rural water supply and sanitation programmes.