

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1657

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WDP

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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has received some proposal from the State Government of Rajasthan regarding WDP (Integrated Watershed Development Programm

(e);

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether there has been delay in this regard; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SMT. SURYAKANTA PATDL)

(a)to(d) In 2004-2005. nine WDP projects at a total cost oi Rs.27.00 crores for development of 45,000 hectares oi wastelands have been sanctioned for the State of Rajasthan under Hariyali guidelines on the basis of priority list submitted by the State and the recommendations made by the Project Sanctioning Committee comprising representatives from the State Government.