

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2693
ANSWERED ON:11.12.2006
PENCH PROJECT
Argal Shri Ashok;Moghe Shri Krishna Murari

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether the Pench Project has been approved by the Government;
- (b) If so, whether the said project has been receiving assistance from the externally financed organization Indo-German Bilateral Development Corporation; and
- (c) If so, the details thereof ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV)

- (a) Yes, Sir. The Planning Commission vide its letter dated the 10th April, 2006 has accepted the Pench Diversion Project for investment in the State Plan.
- (b)No, Sir.
- (c)Does not arise.