

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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WATERSHED DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of projects launched under National Watershed Development Scheme in the country during Tenth Plan, State-wise and year-wise:
- (b) the number out of them implemented in the country during the Tenth Plan, State- wise and Year-wise;
- (c) the funds allocated/released/utilized by the States for the purpose during the said period, State-wise and Year-wise; and
- (d) the details of target fixed and achievements made thereunder during the above period, State-wise and year-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTILAL BHURIA)

(a)to(d): The National Watershed Development Project for Rainfed Areas (NWDPRA) has been subsumed under Macro Management Mode of Agriculture and the funds are provided to the State Governments based on annual work plan approved on year to year basis. A statement showing State wise details of number of watersheds taken up under this scheme along with physical and financial achievements in different years of X Plan, is Annexed.