

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

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ACHIEVEMENTS UNDER LIFT IRRIGATION
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 5301 dated May 14, 2007 regarding Achievements under Lift Irrigation and state:

- (a) whether the Government has since collected the information regarding lift irrigation;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) Irrigation is a State subject and the planning, execution and funding of irrigation projects including Lift Irrigation Schemes are primarily the responsibility of the State Government based on their priorities. Government of India provides financial and technical support which is catalytic and promotional in nature. Therefore, all the states and UTs had been requested to furnish the information regarding Lift Irrigation. Only nine States, namely, Meghalaya, Nagaland, Jharkhand, Himachal Pradesh, Sikkim, U. P. , Uttarakhand and Government of NCT of Delhi and three UTs, namely, Dadar and Nagar Haveli, Lakshdweep and Chandigarh have furnished the requisite information so far.