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REPLIES TO THE CUT MOTIONS

DEMAND NO. 22

BUDGET SESSION-2026

Demand No. & Department

**22-Irrigation and
Flood Control-Jal
Shakti Department**

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JAMMU AND KASHMIR LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
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I. Mr. M.Y Tarigami, Hon'ble MLA to move the following Cut Motions: -

1. I move a cut of ₹100/- in Demand No:22 in order to discuss the need for formulation of a comprehensive flood preparedness and early warning mechanism across flood-prone areas of Jammu and Kashmir to mitigate and minimize flood risks.

Reply

For effective flood preparedness and to ensure effective mitigation in Kashmir Valley against impending flood situations during monsoon season, a proper institutional mechanism has been put in a place through constitution of a committee vide Government Order No. DMRRR of 2017 dated 01.06.2017. The committee is headed by the Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir, with Chief Engineer, I&FC Department Kashmir as member Secretary. The committee is tasked to ensure that following coordinated activities are planned in advance to combat any impending flood which broadly includes:

- a. Pooling and deployment of resources (men and machinery) from line departments for deployment of flood duty e.g., SMC, MED, R&B, SDRF, Police, Civil Defence etc.
- b. Setting up of dedicated Flood Control Room through CE, I&FCK which is operational 24x7.
- c. Identification of vulnerable areas for floods and advance steps through concerned DCs to tackle any eventuality therein by constituting zonal committees in these areas.
- d. Prepositioning of sand bags to plug any breaches and prevent overflow from river banks and nallahs into adjoining habitations through I&FC department along with adequate men and machinery.
- e. Prepositioning of boats at police stations to be utilized during rescue operations.
- f. Depending upon flood situation shifting/evacuation of vulnerable population to safer locations through District administration and making arrangements for rescue /relief shelters, staple and medical facilities.
- g. Conducting mock-drills to test the preparedness.

A SOP is in place to handle any emergent situation both at District level as well as Provincial level.

As far as pre-flood stage task in respect of I&FC is concerned, 14 Flood Zonal Committees across 10 Districts begin their preparations in advance every year for remaining in state of readiness. To tackle any eventuality, adequate stock of EC bags are kept ready as per the requirement. Besides, for timely mobilization of men & machinery, stage contracts are put in place w.e.f 1st April every year.

Flood forecasting has been recognized as one of the most important, reliable and cost-effective non-structural measures for flood management. Disseminating advance warning to keep the public well informed in respect of incoming flood threat through a flood forecasting system helps to facilitate timely evacuation of the people to safer locations through respective District Disaster Management Authorities headed by Deputy Commissioners.

I&FC Kashmir has installed 08 rain gauges, 24 automated water level sensors and operates a dedicated web page "kashmirfloodwatch.jk.gov.in" and mobile application named "Kashmir Flood Watch" as a core component of its real-time flood early warning system.

The mobile application "Kashmir flood watch" features an Integrated Operational Forecasting System (IOFS) for better predictive insights.

Looking ahead, the future of climate monitoring, early warning systems, this Department is working with ongoing expansions, technological upgrades, and integrated national-state efforts.

On the similar lines the I&FC Department of Jammu:

- a) Ensures Regular monitoring of water levels in major rivers and Nallahs of Jammu province during Flood Season. Automatic Water Level Recorders (AWLR) have also been installed on rivers Ujh, Tawi and Chenab for unattended, long-term monitoring of water levels in these rivers.
- b) Establishes 24x7 Flood Control Rooms to share real-time Gauge-Discharge data with Administrative Department as well as District Administration.
- c) Stage contracts are allotted well before the onset of monsoon season in order to undertake emergent nature of works during the flood season.
- d) Carries out flood preparedness exercise in co-ordination with SDRF from time to time.

2. I move a cut of ₹100/- in Demand No.:22 in order to discuss separately the district-wise details of desilting and dredging works undertaken on rivers, nallahs, and irrigation canals during the last three years, along with the funds allocated, utilized, and the impact thereof on flood prevention as also to know whether embankments, bunds, spurs, and flood protection works are regularly inspected and maintained; if not, the reasons for neglect and the remedial measures proposed."

Reply

As far as dredging of rivers and nallahs of Kashmir valley is concerned, it is to submit that it is a cost intensive process and needs to be taken up only if supported with proper hydrological studies. The previous study submitted by the CWPRS to the I&FC Department Kashmir mentions that **"Dredging/desilting/sand mining of river Jhelum from Sangam to Asham is not advisable"** and may cause difficulties for the flood management. Desilting/dredging of rivers, nallahs is a temporary measure whose benefits are gradually lost over a period of time and therefore before taking any such initiative, this needs to be carefully examined based upon proper mathematical studies.

Notwithstanding above wherever there was deposition/ accumulation of shoal, the same has been taken up with Geology & Mining Department who e-auctions these spots to remove the shoal.

The list of auctioned blocks/spots on Veshow Nallah during last few years is enclosed as **Annexure-A**.

However, as far as desilting of canals is concerned, during the last three years, the Irrigation & Flood Control Department, Kashmir has desilted a cumulative quantity of **4.54 Lac Cums** of silt from irrigation canals, covering a total length of **1386 Kms**, at an overall cost of **₹5.96Cr**. The year-wise details of desilting along with the corresponding expenditure are given below:

Desilting done by the I&FC Department (FY 2022-23)

S No.	District	Quantity (cum)	Length Desilted(Km)	Cost (Lakhs)
1	Budgam	14447.269	18.227	18.77
2	Ganderbal	39254.7	65.95	51
3	Srinagar	5926.69	26	7.7
4	Shopian	2817.102	5.48	3.66
5	Pulwama	21450	29.5	33.92
6	Anantnag	27555.26	49.1	35.8
7	Baramulla	8734	19.78	11.35
8	Kupwara	14508.845	49.5	18.85
9	Bandipora	13999	72.3	18.19
10	Kulgam	10606.466	31	13.78
Total		159299.332	366.837	213.02

Desilting done by the I&FC Department (FY 2023-24)

S No.	District	Quantity (cum)	Length Desilted (Km)	Cost (Lakhs)
1	Budgam	5727.86	18.901	14.52
2	Ganderbal	20755.32	10.55	20
3	Srinagar	15000	29.3	20
4	Shopian	15000	20	12
5	Pulwama	23430	39.05	38.92
6	Anantnag	38753	92.8	58.13
7	Baramulla	15779	50.22	32.54
8	Kupwara	11831	50.52	13.33
9	Bandipora	24877	222.9	23.71
10	Kulgam	33125	55.24	32.25
Total		204278.18	589.481	265.4

Desilting done by the I&FC Department (FY 2024-25)

S No.	District	Quantity (cum)	Length Desilted (Km)	Cost (Lakhs)
1	Budgam	6533.63	10.31	13.45
2	Ganderbal	8499.93	4.45	10.87
3	Srinagar	6300	17	11
4	Shopian	14000	35	14
5	Pulwama	15472	25.8	31.92
6	Anantnag	nil	nil	nil
7	Baramulla	5430	17.35	8.86
8	Kupwara	5414	87.8	3.1
9	Bandipora	27052	226.2	22.79
10	Kulgam	2240	7.37	2.1
Total		90941.56	431.28	118.09

Due to the steep gradient of rivers/nallahs in Jammu region the requirement of dredging/desilting is very minimal, however, I&FC Department Jammu executes desilting works of irrigation canals and its distribution network falling in districts Jammu and Kathua. In the districts other than Jammu & Kathua, slip clearance works are also carried out for minor khuls. Moreover, works for annual maintenance/desilting of canals are executed by the department during the canal closure period from January to March, as per the budgetary provisions, to ensure that the irrigation water reaches the tail ends of the canals. The detail of district-wise funds allocated and utilized for last three years for desilting works as under:

I&FC Department of Jammu detail of funds received/expenditure incurred for desilting/slip clearance works under M&R for last three Years (Rs.in lacs)

S.No.	Major Head	2022-23		2023-24		2024-25	
		Alloted cost	Exptd	Alloted cost	Exptd	Alloted cost	Exptd
JAMMU DISTRICT							
1	Irrigation Division No. I, Jammu						
i)	2700	94.00	93.20	67.12	47.05	67.78	52.12
ii)	2701	50.00	46.54	62.76	53.2	62.62	48.01
iii)	2702	74.00	72.44	110.12	86.60	102.42	78.96
	Total	218.00	212.18	240.00	186.85	232.82	179.09
2	Irrigation Division No. II, Jammu						

i)	2700	78.5	78.5	94.16	92.14	89.9	89.9
ii)	2701	31.45	31.45	46.22	40.71	42.66	42.66
iii)	2702	63.53	63.53	77.63	60.96	62.8	62.8
	Total	173.48	173.48	218.01	193.81	195.36	195.36
3	Irrigation Division Akhnoor						
i)	2700	22.56	22.07	54.86	53.73	56.73	52.04
ii)	2701	40.15	39.35	22.41	21.95	33.4	28.78
iii)	2702	61.64	60.4	24.9	24.35	29.17	23.29
	Total	124.35	121.82	102.17	100.03	119.3	104.11
	G-Total	515.83	507.48	560.18	480.69	547.48	478.56
KATHUA DISTRICT							
4	Irrigation Division Kathua						
i)	2700	22.1	22.1	22.08	22.08	21	21
ii)	2701	13.06	13.06	12.1	12.1	19.5	19.5
iii)	2702	8.2	8.2	10	10	11.5	11.5
	Total	43.36	43.36	44.18	44.18	52	52
UDHAMPUR DISTRICT							
5	Irrigation Division Udhampur						
i)	2700	-	-	-	-	--	-
ii)	2701	28	28	20	14.69	4.5	4.5
iii)	2702	35	31.26	14.8	14.43	3	3
	Total	63	59.26	34.8	29.12	7.5	7.5
DODA DISTRICT							
6	Irrigation Division Doda, ID Bhaderwah, Special Sub Division Gandoh						
i)	2700	-	-	-	-	--	-
ii)	2701	21	13.2	15	4.21	15	12.63
iii)	2702	57	43.53	37.5	17.75	36	34.36
	Total	78	56.73	52.5	21.96	51	46.99
RAMBAN DISTRICT							
7	Hydraulic Division Ramban						
i)	2700	-	-	-	-	--	-
ii)	2701	-	-	-	-	--	-
iii)	2702	23	19.21	13.27	5.6	11.3	11.3
	Total	23	19.21	13.27	5.6	11.3	11.3
KISHTWAR DISTRICT							
8	Hydraulic Division Kishtwar						
i)	2700	-	-	-	-	--	-
ii)	2701	-	-	-	-	--	-
iii)	2702	8.3	7.71	6	2.2	6.4	2.36
	Total	8.3	7.71	6	2.2	6.4	2.36
REASI DISTRICT							
9	Mahore Irrigation Division Dharmari						
i)	2700	-	-	-	-	--	-
ii)	2701	-	-	-	-	--	-
iii)	2702	20	20	15	7	15	15
	Total	20	20	15	7	15	15
RAJOURI DISTRICT							
10	Irrigation & FC Division Rajouri, I&FC Division Nowshera						
i)	2700	-	-	-	-	--	-

ii)	2701	25	24.8	22	12.03	22	21.67
iii)	2702	50	44.46	37.5	22.45	38	37.78
	Total	75	69.26	59.5	34.48	60	59.45
POONCH DISTRICT							
10	Irrigation & FC Division Poonch						
i)	2700	-	-	-	-	--	-
ii)	2701	-	-	-	-	--	-
iii)	2702	22	22	17	13.46	17	16.99
	Total	22	22	17	13.46	17	16.99

In addition, the Department has also undertaken desilting of small *khulls/minors* through convergence mode with the Rural Development Department under **MGNREGA**.

All flood protection and river training structures, including embankments, bunds, spurs, and other retaining works, are being regularly inspected, monitored, and maintained by the Department. Periodic and systematic inspections are conducted by field and supervisory officers to assess the structural condition and functional performance of these assets.

In addition, regular safety audits of the flood protection works are carried out to identify any signs of damage, erosion, or vulnerability. Wherever any particular stretch or structure is assessed to require strengthening, improvement or repair, the necessary works are promptly taken up under the appropriate available budget heads, as per established financial and technical procedures, to ensure continued safety, stability and effectiveness of the flood protection infrastructure.

3. I move a cut of ₹100/- in Demand No:22 in order to discuss the slackness in formulation of a comprehensive and long-term flood mitigation plan for Nallah Veshow in Kulgam district, frequently causing large-scale devastation endangering life and property during floods as also to seek details of desilting and widening works carried out on Nallah Veshow during the last 3 years, and whether the existing channel capacity is sufficient to handle peak flood discharge

Reply

The Department has made sustained efforts to ensure flood mitigation plan for Veshow Nallah in Kulgam District. Veshow is an important tributary of River Jhleum which originates from Kousarnag and culminates into River Jhelum after covering a length of 62 Kms near Sangam. The discharge in the Veshow Nallah at Arwani was around 30574 cusecs being the main contributor to the spate in River Jhelum. The works which have been executed under various programmes of Veshow Nallah during **last three years** are given below:

S No.	Name of Programme	Flood Protection works executed (in Meters)	Expenditure in Lacs
1	PMDP Phase-II	1920	509.00
2	UT CAPEX	450	80.00
3	District CAPEX	390	45.37
4	PMKKKY (District Mineral Fund)	320	22.00
5	M&R	690	83.00

For effective flood mitigation two projects have been recently approved under NABARD RIDF XXXI with following details:

S No.	Name of the Project	Cost in Crores
1	Flood Protection works on Asthal village on Veshow Nallah (Part A)	8.62
2	Construction of flood protection works on right side of Veshow Nallah at village Gudder	2.88

The existing channel capacity of Veshow Nallah is sufficient to handle peak flood discharge. However, because of meandering during heavy rains and subsequent floods, erosion of embankments/bunds take place which is inevitable and as per the vulnerability for which anti-erosion flood protection works are being executed at vulnerable spots in Phased manner.

4. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in demand No:22 in order to discuss the status of creation of flood control division at Kulgam by re-designating it as Irrigation and Flood Control Division Kulgam as also to discuss the status of the policy formulation for engaging the land donors as casual labours having provided land for raising departmental assets and separately the district-wise total number of land donors indicating separately the particulars of such families in District Kulgam.

Reply

There is no proposal for creation of separate Flood Control Division for District Kulgam. However, there is a full-fledged Flood Control Sub Division Kulgam under the Administrative control of Flood Control Division Anantnag. The jurisdiction of the said Sub Division is left side of Veshow Nallah for a length of 62 Kms. Besides the Sonman nallah is also being manned for a length of 12.5 Kms. The right side of Veshow Nallah is looked after by Flood Control Sub Division D.H Pora from RD 0 to 31 Kms and Hydraulic Sub Division Mir Bazar RD 32 to 62 Kms under the Administrative control of Flood Control Division Anantnag. In light of these facts it does not seem that there is a requirement for re-designation of Irrigation Division Kulgam as Irrigation and Flood Control Division Kulgam.

The district wise total number of land donors is as under :-

S.No.	Name of the District	district-wise, number of persons who have donated their land .
01	Ganderbal	163
02	Srinagar	12
03	Budgam	255
04	Anantnag	328
05	Kulgam	340
06	Shopian	66
07	Pulwama	168
08	Bandipora	65
09	Kupwara	333
10	Baramulla	241
	Total	1971
11	Kathua	172
12	Samba	132
13	Jammu	433
14	Reasi	578
15	Udhampur	314
16	Doda	194
17	Ramban	438
18	Kishtwar	159
19	Rajouri	805
20	Poonch	261
	Total	3486
	Grand total	5457

The particulars of the land donors of District Kulgam :-

S.No	Particulars
1	Mohd. Akbar Mir, R/o Sangam,
2	Syed Muzamil Shah, R/o Devsar Kulgam
3	Shabir Ahmad Chak (Sheikh) R/o Nihama Kulgam,
4	Aijaz Ahmad Malik, S/o Mohd. Yousuf Malik R/o Pahloo Kulgam,
5	Mukhtar Ahmad Ganie, S/o Mohd. Ashraf Ganie, R/o Dardkoot Kulgam
6	Ishfaq Majid Khan, R/o Wangam Dewsar,

The Government of Jammu & Kashmir vide i) Government Order No. 239-F of 2005 dated 29.01.2005, ii) Government Order No. 138-F of 2013 dated 23.05.2013 had authorized some Government departments including Jal Shakti Department to engage Casual or Seasonal labourers from time to time on minimum need basis in lieu of donation of land.

Afterward, Government of Jammu & Kashmir vide Government Order No.43-F of 2015 dated 17.03.2015 discontinued the policy of engagement in lieu of land and withdrawn Government Order No. 239-F of 2005 dated 29.01.2005 and Government Order No. 138-F of 2013 dated 23.05.2013.

Moreover, matter regarding regularisation of any land donors engaged in lieu of land shall be decided as per the committee constituted by the GAD vide GO No. 384-JK(GAD) of 2025 dated 19.03.2025. Since 2015, however, there has been no provision of engagement of land donors in lieu of land; only compensation is to be paid, as due, if the land is utilized by the department for asset creation, unless, of course, the land has been donated without conditionalities.

5. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No.22 in order to discuss the steps taken for modernization of Sonman, Mav, Buman, and Girmatoo canals being vital sources of irrigation in vast areas of the district Kulgam as also the need for a separate electric panel with new motor for LIS Behibagh, Kulgam which has not been augmented and upgraded for last 20 years.

Reply

The following steps have been taken for modernization of various irrigation canals in District Kulgam.

Grimtoo Canal in District Kulgam has been modernized and completed in the year 2023 under NABARD RIDF XXV at a cost of Rs. 12.98 Crores.

Buman Canal is being modernized under NABARD RIDF XXX at a cost of Rs. 17.36 Crores for which tender have been invited in February 2026.

In respect of Sonman and Mav Canal the requirement of modernization shall be assessed through performance assessment tool EQIPA as per the Central Water Commission guidelines. The study has been initiated and based upon the outcome further course of action shall be taken accordingly.

LIS Behibagh is a minor lift irrigation scheme with two number 4 cusec pumping unit coupled with 120 HP motor installed and are functional. One number pump has been replaced during financial year 2024-25. The requirement to replace other pumping unit along with motor and starters shall be examined and considered under appropriate funding programme. Dedicated electric panel (feeder) for LIS Behibagh is being considered by District Administration Kulgam through KPDCL.

Annexure-A

Details of Operative Minor Mineral Blocks

S. No.	MMB No.	Description of Minor Mineral Block	Area of Lease (Hectares)	Name of the Lessee	Date of execution of the Lease Deed	Month of Operation
1	4	Nehama Bridge U/ Stream NallahVishow	4.22	M/s JK Project Construction Corporation (JKPCC)	21.09.2020	Oct-20
2	7	G - Ching Adijan Bridge U/ Stream NallahVishow	8.91	Kapil Agarwal S/O Jugesh Agarwal R/O H. No. 179, PanjpirMandir, Anandpur, Pathankot, Gurdaspur, Punjab-145001	15.11.2022	Mar-23
3	10	J - Ching Adijan Bridge D/ Stream NallahVishow	0.60	Mushtaqul Islam S/O GhMohiud din Bhat R/O Karimabad-192301	04.08.2022	Sept-22
4	11	K - Mirhama U/ Stream NallahVishow	9.21	Hem Chand Singh S/O Rohitash Singh R/O H. No. 06, Kashish Enclave, 3 K Road, Ludhiana, Punjab - 1410001	27.07.2022	Apr-23
5	12	L - Mirhama D/ Stream NallahVishow	4.46	Keemat Lal S/O Kohla Ram R/O Raipura, Satwari Jammu	01.11.2021	Apr-23
6	13	M - Chillan Asthal Bridge U/ Stream NallahVishow	9.32	Sai Mines Prop: Shri Karanvir Singh, R/O Lane No. 3, SaheedUdham, Singh Nagar, Pathankot, Punjab-145001	16.11.2022	Apr-23
7	14	N -CahlanAsthal Bridge U/ Stream NallahVishow	4.26	Mangal Singh S/O Om Prakash R/O Saidgarh	02.11.2020	Nov-20
8	15	O -CahlanAsthal Bridge D/ Stream NallahVishow	4.19	Amit Mahajan S/O Adarsh Mohan Mahajan R/O Near Kali Mata Mandir, Pathankot, Gurdaspur, Punjab-145001	02.11.2020	Nov-20
9	18	R - Kulgam Bridge D/ Stream NallahVishow	4.09	Amit Mahajan S/O Adarsh Mohan Mahajan R/O Near Kali Mata Mandir, Pathankot, Gurdaspur, Punjab-145001	11.08.2021	Sept-21
10	19	S - Kulgam Bridge D/ Stream NallahVishow	9.52	Khurshid Ahmad Mir S/O GhMohd Mir R/O DogamKakapora	13.04.2022	Apr-22
11	20	T - Brazloo Bridge U/ Stream NallahVishow	9.09/ 1.85 Resized	Ab Rashid Bhat S/O Abdul Ahad Bhat R/O Chatripora Shopian-192303	20.10.2022	Nov-22
12	22	V - Brazloo Bridge, D/ Stream NallahVishow	4.27	Ishfaq Ahmad Dar S/O Abdul Rehman Dar R/O Dangerpora, Awantipora, Pulwama	31.10.2020	Nov-20
13	23	W - Ashmuji Bridge U/ Stream NallahVishow	9.09	Mohammad YaseenParrey S/O MohdYaqoobParrey R/O ChekpuraAshmuji	10.12.2021	Dec-21
14	24	X - Ashmuji Bridge U/ Stream NallahVishow	4.33	Rahil Choudhary S/O Rakesh Kumar R/O Gandhi Nagar Jammu	02.11.2020	Nov-20
15	25	Y - Ashmuji Bridge D/ Stream NallahVishow	4.60/ 1.70 Resized	Shabir Ahmad Sheikh S/O Ghulam Mohiud din Sheikh R/O Bhan, Kulgam	11.04.2022	May-22

16	26	Z - Ashmuji Bridge D/ Stream NallahVishow	4.24/ 3.20 Resized	Khurshid Ahmad Mir S/O GhMohd Mir R/O DogamKakapora	08.02.2022	Mar-22
17	27	Al - Mah Village, U/ Stream NallahVishow	9.21/ 8.21/ 5.10 Resized	Ghulam MohdPinchoo S/O Mohd Rajab Pinchoo R/O Jawbara, Awantipora, Pulwama	22.04.2022	May-22
18	28	Al - Mah Village, D/ Stream NallahVishow	8.89	Kapil Agarwal S/O Jugesh Agarwal R/O H. No. 179, PanjpirMandir, Anandpur, Pathankot, Gurdaspur, Punjab- 145001	16.11.2022	Mar-23
19	30	A - Chowgam Bridge D/ Stream NallahVethvethru	0.60	Sai Mines Prop: Shri Karanvir Singh, R/O Lane No. 3, SaheedUdham, Singh Nagar, Pathankot, Punjab-145001	16.11.2022	Apr-23



II. Mr. Surjeet Singh Slathia, Hon'ble MLA, to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs. 100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the total funds released/spent by the Irrigation Department for existing canals in Samba Constituency indicating also the status of works under execution.

Reply

An amount of **Rs. 238.724 lacs** have been released during the current financial year under UT Capex 2025-26 for strengthening/ up gradation of existing canal in Samba constituency against which an expenditure of **Rs.29.33 lacs** has been incurred as on date. Further, most of the works of the canals are undertaken between January to March after the annual canal closure which usually commences in mid of January. The work wise status of physical progress is enclosed as **Annexure – A.**

2. I move a cut of Rs. 100/- in Demand No 22 in order to discuss the total funds released and utilized by flood control department in Samba constituency during the last one year.

Reply

Total funds released during F.Y.2025-26 ending Jan 2026 in Samba Constituency = 68.13 lacs

Total funds utilised during F.Y. 2025-26 ending Jan 2026 in Samba Constituency = 7.48 lacs.



Annexure - A							
S.No.	Name of the work activity wise alongwith work code generated on BEAMS	Location	Cumulative Exp.ending March, 2025	BE 2025-26	Funds released 2025-26	Expenditure as on date	Physical Achievement
1	IRRSS2022100014 Improvement of DOL & Distributary of D-18, D-19 of MRC, D-1 & D-2 of old Basanter canal and link channel of MRC	Vijaypur & Supwal	52.31	3.00	2.55	1.50	100%
2	IRRSS2324100466-Strengthening of Piers/Aqueducts near RD 1400 M, RD 3450 M, repair/restoration of Abutment near RD 3500 M of Main Raya Canal and improvement /strengthening of vulnerable spots on Main Raya Canal near RD 0-2000 M by way of pitching grouting and CC Wall at spots	Patli, Raya, Ranjhiri	26.67	2.65	2.25	1.19	100%
3	IRRSS2324100471-Improvement/ strengthening/restoration of Devak escape RD 83400 M, gauge reader hut at Nankey chak repair/restoration of damaged panels between RD 80340-80500 M and RD 79000-79060 M and Lying of RCC slab on MRC at RD 80830 M and RD 81210 M	Supwal, Barra, Nankeychak	21.46	45.00	38.25	0.74	53%
4	IRRSS2324100472- Protection work of Basanter Aqueduct of Main Ravi Canal RD 77650M	Madhera	82.46	21.03	17.88	10.50	100%
5	IRRSS2324100468-Improvement/ strengthening of damaged pannels between RD 84065- 84565 M at places, construction of protection wall at RD 85862 M of Main Ravi Canal and laying of RCC slab on Main Ravi Canal at RD 85830 M	Supwal	27.99	31.00	26.35	8.39	50%
6	IRRSS2526100054 Improvement/ strengthening of Flare wall at Nankey chak syphon RD 79340M & Bredu Sphon RD 81600M of Main Ravi Canal.	Supwal	0	6.00	5.10	0.00	
7	IRRSS2526100055 Protection of service road RD 77600M of Main Ravi Canal by way of pitching, R/ wall & laying of crates.	NankeChak (Madhera)	0	5.00	4.25	0.00	
8	IRRSS2324100452-Improvement of D-16 of MRC including Feeder Channel and Panjtilla I and II and Regal Minor of D-16	Samba and Rajpura	14.74	15.20	12.92	0.00	60%
9	IRRSS2324100453-Improvement/Restoration of Falling D-17 Between RD: 900-4700M And its Minor II, III and IV of D-17	Samba	7.89	39.59	33.65	0.00	60%
10	IRRSS2324100454- Improvement/ Restoration of D-14 and its minors	Ghagwal, Samba, Hiranagar	24.00	11.79	10.02	0.00	90%
11	IRRSS2425100076 Improvement/Renovation of Main Ravi Canal RD:61400-66800 At Spots and Naran and Jasath Direct outlet At Spots	Jasath, Naran, Chann Guddian, Taryal, Ghagwal, Taryal, Chann Malagrian, Chan Kahna	11.51	8.68	7.38	0.00	75%
12	IRRSS2425100077 Renovation/Upgradation of Raghuchak Minor RD: 800-4200M, Falls and RCC Culverts	Raghu chak, Sujana, Parotian Channi	16.00	0.10	0.09	0.00	100%
13	IRRSS2425100079 Renovation/Upgradation of D-14 RD: 0-1200M and Rajpura Minor RD: 0-3200M, Jarian Minor RD: 0-2500M, Randhwal Minor RD: 0-750M, Sanoora Minor RD: 900-1700M, Paloona Minor RD: 20-100M R/S and NaranDisty. RD: 0-2500M at places	Jasath, Rajpura, Randhwal, Sanoora, Naran, Paloona, Chann Samotra	12.44	10.18	8.65	0.00	65%
14	IRRSS2425100080 Improvement of Main Ravi Canal, D-16, Mangu chak Minor including Gauge Reader Hut RD: 74165M	Manguchak, Katli, Rehaiyan, RakhAmbTalli, Mawa, Regal	8.36	7.44	6.32	0.93	65%
15	IRRSS2425100081 Improvement of Main Ravi Canal RD: 70760-70860M, Sub-Minor 1A of M-1 of D-17, Head work of Chua Nallah Escape	Balouri, Sadoh, Kullian, Ramnagar, Kangwala, Chann Jassu	12.26	6.04	5.13	0.00	77%
16	IRRSS2526100022 Improvement/strengthening of Ujh canal between RD 350-450M and RD 3000-4100 M downstream Bein Nallah by way of pitching, grouting & raising of canal section of Taryal direct outlet between RD: 1100-1200M.	Chhan Samotra, Radhwal, Jasath, Sanoora, Paloona, Naran	0	6.00	5.10	0.00	
17	IRRSS2526100026 Improvement/strengthening of Raghuchak Distributary of Ujh Canal between RD 3500-4200M by way of pitching, grouting & repair of falls at places	Raghuchak, Jara in, Rajppura, Radhwal	0	10.00	8.50	0.00	

18	IRRSS2526100028 Improvement/strengthening of Main Ravi Canal between RD 64400-67700M and Jasath direct outlet between RD 200-400 M by way of pitching, grouting including repair of damaged falls of Naran link channel between RD 0-1200M by way of PCC wall, pitching, grouting at places and repair work of damaged grooves and RCC column structure of Uchhal cross gate near RD: 67717M.	Chann Matloni, Tapyal, Ghagwa I, Jassath, Nonath, Jatwal, Naran	0	10.00	8.50	0.00	
19	IRRSS2526100030 Improvement/strengthening of Main Ravi Canal between RD 68250-68350M, RD 70120-70230 M and D-16 of MRC between RD 1180-1530 M and RD 5320-5500 M at places and repair of fall at RD 3100 M.	Sargal, Katil, Ramnagar, Rehian, Mawa	0	20.00	17.00	0.00	
20	IRRSS2526100031 Improvement/strengthening of D-17 of MRC from RD 4200-4650 M including its minor - 1st between RD 230-450M and minors -3rd between RD 700M including repair to sub-Division building Samba.	Channi, Balori, Kangwala, Kellmandi	0	15.00	12.75	0.00	
21	IRRSS2324100440- LIS TPH, Raya & Gates- Replacement of various components for improvement/upgradation of electro mechanical equipments/machinery installed at different locations.	Jammu	76.49	0.71	0.60	0.60	100%
22	IRRSS2425100048 Fabrication, providing and installation of Trash Racks, complete winch machines, Gate leaf structures and hoisting mechanism at various RDs on Tawi, Raya and Ravi Irrigation Canal	Jammu	4.00	0.74	0.63	0.63	100%
23	IRRSS2425100055(Ujh Canal) : Upgradation /Recapitalisation of existing Gates and Trash racks installed at Main Ujh Canal at Raghuchak distributary gate, Bellian minor distributary, sadoh, mangu chak, chajarith distributary gate, U-9 gate, regal minor gate, naran link channel along with other connected allied works	Store kathua	3.60	0.70	0.60	0.60	100%
24	IRRSS2526100043 Recapitalization of Trash Racks along Main Ravi Canal at Thanoon syphon and Kharote syphon and Improvement/Replacement of existing gates/winch machines installed at Main Ravi Canal and Ujh Canal at Mangtain minor gate, D-10 distributary gate, D-14 distributary gate and at other connecting places on canals.	Lakhanpur, Danore, Mangtia, Samba, Hiranagar, Kathua	0	5.00	4.25	4.25	100%
Total				280.85	238.72	29.33	

III. Mr. Sajad Gani Lone, Hon'ble MLA to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No.22 in order to discuss the current status of works executed under the Comprehensive Flood Management Programme on River Jhelum Phase-1 and Phase-2, along with the deadline for completion.

Reply

Comprehensive Flood Management of River Jhelum and its tributaries Phase-I was approved for Rs 399.29 Crs in 2015-16 by MOWR and it has been substantially completed. The discharge carrying capacity of River Jhelum in Srinagar reach has been enhanced from 31800 Cusecs to 41000 Cusecs. Besides, major Bottlenecks in the FSC were removed in Shariefabad and Naidkhai reach and carrying capacity was doubled from 4000 to 8700 Cusecs at the off take of FSC. The total expenditure made against the project is 328.02 Crores (CA =224.22 Crs+ UT =103.80 Crs) till date.

Comprehensive Flood Management of River Jhelum and its tributaries Phase II (Part A) was approved for a cost of Rs. 1623.43 Crores in March, 2022. A total of 31 Bank protection/anti-erosion works worth 276.61 Crores are under execution, out of which 17 No. works have been completed. Besides, 2 No. regulatory Gates in Hokersar wetland also stand completed and commissioned at a cost of Rs 28.45 Crores. The total expenditure made against the project is ₹.160.56 Cr. (CA =114.293 Cr.+ UT =46.27 Cr.) till date. The 2nd CA instalment of Rs 60.4125 Crores has been released by MOJS, DOWR, RD&GR on 22.01.2026. Phase II is under implementation with revised date of completion approved by MOWR, RD & GR as **March 2027**

The details of works executed under Phase I and Phase II is given as under:-

Flood Management Works undertaken in Phase I&II			
Phase-I (JK 43)			
SNo	Type of Flood protection work	Quantity Executed	
		Physical	Financial
1.	Toe Protection/ Retaining Wall on river Jhelum from Khanabal to Baramulla	9483 RM	53.64 Cr.
2.	Gabion/ Crate Wall	100 RM	1.00 Cr.
3.	Length of revetment on river Jhelum from Khanabal to Baramulla.	5668 RM	8.68 Cr.
4.	Dredging of River Jhelum in Srinagar and Barmulla Reaches	16.11 Lac Cum	127.05 Cr.
6.	Re-sectioning of Flood Spill Channel at Sharifabad/Naidkhai	14.27 LacCum	
Total under Phase-I			190.37Crs
Phase-II (JK 2101) –Works under execution taken up in hand			
1.	Bank Protection works on River Jhelum and tributaries	17175 Mts	216.66 Crs
Total Flood Mitigation works carried out till date Phase - I& II			407.03 Crs

2. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No.22 in order to discuss the financial implications of the Central Water Commission recommendations regarding the Comprehensive Flood Management Programme on River Jhelum Phase-2, and arrangements being made by the Government of Jammu & Kashmir to mobilize funds for the same.

Reply

Under the PMDP Phase II (Part A) "Comprehensive Flood Management Plan of River Jhelum and its Tributaries", a total of 31 Bank protection/anti-erosion works worth 276.61 Crores are under execution, out of which 17 No. works have been completed. Besides, 2 No. regulatory Gates in Hokersar wetland also stand completed and commissioned at a cost of Rs 28.45 Crores. The total expenditure made against the project is ₹.160.56 Cr. (CA = 114.293 Cr.+ UT =46.27 Cr.) till date. The 2nd CA instalment of Rs 60.4125 Crores has been released by MOJS, DOWR, RD&GR on 22.01.2026.

The funds shall be utilized against already executed works on river Jhelum and its tributaries. Additional funds are expected once expenditure is reported to central government. Completion of these projects will prevent erosion of land from floods and safeguard public property.

The Phase II includes re-sectioning of Flood Spill Channel at an estimated cost of 400 cr approx. However, due to drastic disagreement between the CWPRS model outcomes viz-a-viz the JTFRP consultant predictions, the CWC re-examined the entire issue. In December 2024, it suggested lowering of Sill level at the off take point of Flood Spill Channel by 2 meters and maintain a 1 in 5000 grade right up to Wullar. Due to such lowering, however, it was estimated that it will affect 21 bridges, 39 LIS and 13 Water supply schemes. The PWD (R&B) Department has setup a committee for protecting/retrofitting these bridges so that they continue to be used for road communication; report of this Committee is awaited. In the meantime, the matter has been reviewed in the Government of India and the CWC has decided that lowering may be adopted at a level which will have manageable impact on the infrastructure. Further, the CWC in respect of Out Fall Channel (OFC) has decided that widening work be kept on hold.

CWPRS while undertaking the Flood routing study for river Jhelum in 2017-18 had concluded that dredging of River Jhelum from Sangam to Asham will not serve the purpose of Flood mitigation. Any such dredging intervention needs to be backed up by the hydraulic model studies before it is undertaken on ground. In the instant case, it was analysed by the CWPRS in their model studies that flood wave will be arriving faster from Sangam to Ram Munshi Bagh and slower travelling further from RMB to Asham, thereby leading to early arrival of flood in Srinagar and also reduction in response time to manage flood situation. Moreover, the bed degradation at Sangam has been observed in the said study due to local sand mining as sufficient sediment deposition has not happened and if dredging/desilting is continued further this may bring the existing structures and banks under stress and ultimately may not serve the flood mitigation purpose.

IV. Mr. Balwant Singh Mankotia, Hon'ble MLA to move the following Cut Motions:

1. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the division-wise details of losses caused due to last year's flash floods in Jammu & Kashmir, with particular reference to Chenani, Assembly Constituency.

Reply

- The floods that occurred in August & September 2025 caused damages to Irrigation & Flood infrastructure under the jurisdiction of Irrigation & Flood Control Department, Jammu amounting to Rs. 200 Cr.
- List of damages to Irrigation & Flood infrastructure in the jurisdiction of I&FC Udhampur is enclosed as "**Annexure – A**" & "**Annexure-B**".
- List of damages to Irrigation & Flood infrastructure in Chenani Constituency is enclosed as "**Annexure-C**" & "**Annexure – D**".
- The division-wise details of losses caused due to last flash floods in respect of Irrigation & Flood Control Department of Kashmir attached as "**Annexure – E**".
- The division wise details of losses caused due to last year's flash floods affecting 80 locations falls under the jurisdiction of Jal Shakti (RTIC) Department Jammu is as under:

Name of the Division	No. of location damages	Total Cost of restoration
TCC Division Jammu	34	Rs. 461.25 Lac
RCC Lower Division Hiranagar	31	Rs. 247.82 Lac
RCC Upper Division Kathua	15	Rs. 239.8 Lac
Total	80	Rs. 948.85 Lac

2. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the division-wise details of funds allotted for restoration of infrastructure in Jammu & Kashmir by flood control department, in the aftermath of previous year's flash floods, with particular reference to Chenani Assembly Constituency.

Reply

The division-wise details of funds allotted for restoration of infrastructure in respect of Irrigation & Flood Control Department Jammu & Kashmir attached as **Annexure-G**. However, for temporary restoration of 26 Nos. Khuls in Chenani Constituency an amount of 37.02 lacs has been released under SDRF by District Administration.

3. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the details of Khulls damaged in Chenani Assembly Constituency due to previous year's flash floods and the measures taken for restoration of those khuls.

Reply

The details of damages to Khuls in Chenani Assembly constituency have been enclosed as **Annexure – C**. Besides, the damages have been reported to the DMRRR for appropriate funding.

4. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the steps taken by the Government to prevent the occurrence of flash floods in future.

Reply

Several structural as well as non-structural measures are being undertaken for flood preparedness to prevent and mitigate flash floods in Jammu Province including strengthening of infrastructure, early warning system, the details of which are as follows:

- Structural Measures:** The Department is carrying out various Flood Protection works by way of Construction of Earthen Embankments, Spurs, laying of crates as well strengthening of embankments and bunds at vulnerable spots of rivers/nallahs. Pertinently, post 2014 Floods, Jhelum Tawi Flood Recovery Project (JTFRP) is preparing a Detailed Project Report for Flood Mitigation and Comprehensive River Management measures for Tawi River which is at final stage of preparation.

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2. **Non-Structural Measures:** These include:

- a) Regular monitoring of water levels in major rivers and Nallahs of Jammu province during Flood Season. Automatic Water Level Recorders (AWLR) have also been installed on rivers Ujh, Tawi and Chenab for unattended, long-term monitoring of water levels in these rivers. AWLRs help predict and alert authorities about potential flooding, enabling timely evacuations and mitigation measures.
- b) Establishment of 24/7 Flood Control Rooms to share real-time Gauge-Discharge data with Administrative Department as well as District Administration.
- c) Stage contracts are also allotted well before the onset of monsoon season in order to undertake emergent nature of works during the flood season.
- d) Flood preparedness exercise in co-ordination with SDRF is being conducted from time to time.

The Integrated Operational Flood Forecasting System (IOFS) was developed by JKERA under JTFRP as part of the Multi Hazard Risk Assessment (MHRA) study of the UT (Union Territory) of J&K and UT of Ladakh (erstwhile State of J&K) for providing Early Warnings on impending hydro-meteorological disasters. IOFS functions based on forecasted weather data of IMD and generates flood warning bulletin on a predefined interval. IOFS is currently under testing stage.

5. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the shortage of manpower in Irrigation Division Udhampur and the steps taken by the department to fill up the existing vacancies.

Reply

The details of sanction and existing strength in respect of I&FC Udhampur is enclosed as **Annexure-F**. Department has made concerted effort to rationalize the existing manpower from time to time. A total of 687 posts have been referred to the J&K Services Selection Board for recruitment. In addition, 335 posts shall be referred shortly. Further, there are 60 need based /casual labourer working in the Division.

Annexure - A

Details of Damages to Irrigation infrastructure in respect of I&FC Udhampur		
S.NO.	Name of Work	Estimated Cost (Rs.In Lacs)
1	Permanent restoration of Bain Khul at places	28.52
2	Permanent restoration of Sudmahadev Khul at places	29.00
3	Permanent restoration of chouka Nallah Khul at places	36.71
4	Permanent restoration of Baschal to Chabba Khul at places	26.00
5	Permanent restoration of Jalsoo Khul at places	0.00
6	Permanent restoration of Narore Khul at places	15.00
7	Permanent restoration of Baschal Khul at places	0.00
8	Permanent restoration of Ossu Khul at places	32.25
9	Permanent restoration of Sarar Khul at places	0.00
10	Permanent restoration of Banja Khul a places	0.00
11	Permanent restoration of Saroori Khul at places	0.00
12	Permanent restoration of Kulinee to Neeli Khul at places.	0.00
13	Permanent restoration of Pangara Jagir Khul at places	0.00
14	Permanent restoration of Budhakedar Khul at places	0.00
15	Permanent restoration of Jugal to Chunnail Khul at places	0.00
16	Permanent restoration of Arog Khul at places	0.00
17	Permanent restoration of Charat Jyot Khul at places	0.00
18	Permanent restoration of Kirchi Khul at places	0.00
19	Permanent restoration of Punna Khul at places	0.00
20	Permanent restoration of Jakhed Khul at places	0.00
21	Permanent restoration of Dudu Khul at places	0.00
22	Permanent restoration of Sarota Khul at places	9.99
23	Permanent Restoration of Panjgrain Khul at spots Rd 0.00 – 6000 mtr	66.80
24	Permanent Restoration of Bhootanwali Khul	14.46
25	Permanent Restoration of Jagirghordi Khul	0.00
26	Permanent Restoration of Neeli Majana Khul	0.00
27	Permanent Restoration of Kothi Dhanous Khul	17.47
28	Permanent Restoration of Neeli Khul	30.00
29	Permanent Restoration of Malog Jandrore Khul	0.00
30	Permanent Restoration of Dheeran Baryalta Khul	0.00
31	Permanent Restoration of Tanah Furoh Khul	0.00
32	Permanent Restoration of Nallah Ghorrian Khul	0.00
33	Permanent Restoration of Julera Tagan Khul	29.43
34	Permanent Restoration of Blaterkhul	0.00
35	Permanent Restoration of Mandal Barmeen Khul	0.00
36	Permanent Restoration of LangaKhul	0.00
37	Permanent Restoration of Katwalt Khul	0.00
38	Permanent Restoration of Somfari Khul	0.00
39	Permanent Restoration of Garhi Khul	0.00
40	Permanent Restoration of Gorla Khul	0.00
41	Permanent Restoration of Gadena Khul	12.00
42	Permanent Restoration of Patti to Kouli Khul	10.15
43	Permanent Restoration of Kalma Khul	0.00
44	Permanent Restoration of Prowa Khul	0.00
45	Permanent Restoration of Sarsoo khul	0.00

46	Permanent Restoration of Sera Laid Khul	0.00
47	Permanent Restoration of Nassanwali Khul	0.00
48	Permanent Restoration of Nallan Mallian Khul	0.00
49	Permanent Restoration of Sattiyani Khul	0.00
50	Permanent Restoration of Teli Khul	4.55
51	Permanent Restoration of Kandi Khul	0.00
52	Permanent Restoration of Gold Nallah to Jassani Khul	27.03
53	Permanent Restoration of Nayald to Moh. Danga Khul	0.00
54	Permanent Restoration of Krimchi Khul	33.66
55	Permanent Restoration of Bhounger Khul	0.00
56	Permanent Restoration of Shower Lali khul	0.00
57	Permanent Restoration of Panjar Khul	0.00
58	Permanent Restoration of Sainote khul	6.30
59	Permanent Restoration of Sundarani Thagi khul	4.38
60	Permanent Restoration of Mananu khul	9.00
61	Permanent Restoration of Mounгри khul	13.98
62	Permanent Restoration of Kalsote khul	27.53
63	Permanent Restoration of Bakal Hartyan khul	0.00
64	Permanent Restoration of Khuban Khul	13.78
65	Permanent Restoration of Duddar Canal	60.00
66	Permanent Restoration of Latyar right khul	0.00
67	Permanent Restoration of Pangara khul	0.00
68	Permanent Restoration of Menga khul	0.00
	Total:-	557.99

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Annexure -B

Details of Damages to Flood infrastructure in respect of I&FC Udhampur			
S.NO.	Local nallah/River	Type of FPW	Estimated Cost (Rs. In Lacs)
1	Protection work in Loundana at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	6.67
2	Kashirah nallah at spots	Crate work	3.83
3	Billan Bowli nallah at spots	Crate work	2.99
4	Sangoor /Barrian Nallah (Nadu bowli) at spots	Crate work	5.45
5	Bharat nagar nallah at spots	P/wall	2.93
6	Cherry nallah at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	5.62
7	Pakhalai nallah at spots	Crate work	3.86
8	Sial Sallan nallah at spots	P/wall & crate work	0.00
9	Devika Stream (Sudhmahadev to haridwar) at spots	Crate work	2.44
10	P/work near Hr. Sec. School Kud	P/wall	0.80
11	P/work near h/o Raghu Verma W.no. 20 Sayal	P/wall	1.56
12	Tawi river at spots	Crate work	29.28
13	Kirchi nallah at spots	Crate work	10.90
14	Madha nallah at spots	Crate work	12.72
15	Latti &Marothi nallah at spots	Crate work	13.27
16	Sarar Nallah at spots	Crate work	7.06
17	Jakhed Nallah at spots	Crate work	8.68
18	Budhakedar nallah at spots	Crate work	9.76
19	P/wall near railway track (near Baglamukhi temple at spots)	P/wall	2.66
20	Devak nallah near Nainsoo temple	Crate work	1.93
21	Kotli Bala Nallah at spots	Crate work	3.93
22	Kheri Nallah at spots	Crate work	3.81
23	Basantri Nallah at spots	Crate work	2.00
24	Dhar Gaddian Nallah at spots	Crate work	1.72
25	Dibber near river Tawi at spots	Crate work	2.71
26	Kaw near river Tawi at spots	Crate work	5.71
27	Ossu Nallah at spots	Crate work	3.72
28	Bashat Nallah at spots	Crate work	4.80
29	Sarori Nallah at spots	Crate work	15.46
30	P/work at Omara Morh	P/wall	0.00
31	Karlah Nallah at spots	Crate work	0.00
32	Thardnallah at spots	Crate work	0.00
33	Binisung near temple	Crate work	0.00
34	Kud nallah, Pachot and dogra morh at spots	Crate work	0.00
35	Mandal Nallah Pyt Tandar	Crate work	0.00
36	P/wall to the h/o Sh. Prem Parkash w.no. 4	P/wall	0.00
37	P/work at Sayal (near Bridge)	P/work	4.04
38	Kashirah (near Indian Gas Agency)	P/wall	0.00
39	PtC nallah at spots	Crate	0.00
40	P/work at Buplee Lote	Crate	0.00
41	Devika Nallah in Nainsoo	P/wall	0.00
42	Laddan Power House at spots	Crate	0.00
43	Jakhani Nallah at spots	Crate	0.00
44	River Tawi near Salmay Bridge	Crate	0.00
45	Tandar Nallah &Nagulta Nallah at spots	Crate	0.00

46	Dhanas Nallah at spots	Crate	0.00
47	Gharrian Kulasar Nallah & Khurd Nallah at spots	Crate	0.00
48	Pattangarh nallah at spots	Crate	0.00
49	Chazz Nallah at spots	Crate	0.00
50	Tarthyal Nallah at spots	Crate	0.00
51	Latti Nallah near Shamshan Ghat	Crate	0.00
52	Dudu near Jakhed Shamshan Ghat at River tawi	Crate	0.00
53	Permanent restoration /p/work to the agricultural land in Meldi Pyt Rathian	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
54	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Ghordi nallah, nallah Ghorrian and its tributaries.	P/wall/ Crate work	8.95
55	Permanen Restoration of flood protection works at Barneen , Satyalta & Sarsoonallah	P/wall/ Crate work	15.23
56	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Sattian nallah, Sullan, Kella, Badi Ladana nallah and its Catchments.	P/wall/ Crate work	25.55
57	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Chanunta & Panjgrain nallah.	P/wall/ Crate work	2.71
58	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Desiyan, Biryen, Palnoo & Pathwar nallah Majalta	P/wall/ Crate work	16.55
59	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Champal Nallah, Sulgar,& Hartyan.Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	21.75
60	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Talpar/ Dhandhal Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	16.27
61	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Balandh, Rang, Slo &Sunetar nallah and its catchments in Block Parli Dhar	P/wall/ Crate work	6.50
62	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Mani Bindla Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	4.61
63	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Dalsar & Badhole Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	4.88
64	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Ramnagar nallah, Dehari Kaghote nallah& its tributaries	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
65	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Rassain, Majua, Katwalt &Bansui Nallah including its tributaries	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
66	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Kanah, Chowki & Birnoo Nallah including its tributaries	P/wall/ Crate work	4.84
67	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Basantgarh, Gandhtop, Majori and Keya Jofher Nallah& its catchments	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
68	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Gambir, Jansal & Khoon Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	25.29
69	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Jandore, Nallah Mallian, Surni & Chaapal Nallah including its tributaries & cathments	P/wall/ Crate work	4.34
70	Construction of flood protection works Near Gaoshalla Khoon	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
71	Construction of Catch water Drain to Drain out water fro water logged area of Village Sattani	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
72	Permanent restoration of flood protection work in Panjar Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	3.15

73	Permanent restoration in Mougri Ajal nallah at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	2.00
74	Permanent restoration in Mali Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	3.00
75	Permanent restoration in Pathi Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	1.60
76	Permanent restoration in Mansar Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	2.50
77	Permanent restoration in Nuddle nallah and its various tributaries at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	11.90
78	Permanent restoration at left bank of Jhajjar nallah in Manthal	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
79	Permanent restoration in Pyt Mand East at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	6.19
80	Permanent restoration in Duddar nallah and its tributaries at spots.	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
81	Permanent restoration in Ludhyala nallah at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
82	Permanent restoration in Battal Ballian at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
83	Permanent restoration in Neeli Nallah and its tributaries at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
84	Permanent restoration in Himbrah to the land of Sh. Hem Raj	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
85	Permanent restoration to Kali Mata Mandir at Tikri	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
86	Permanent restoration in different nallah of Block Pancheri	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
87	Permanent restoration in Dhanoo at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
88	Permanent restoration to the house of Sh. Babu Singh and others in village Rehambal near Gurudwara Jib Morh	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
89	Permanent restoration of flood protection work in Rathian at Spots	P/wall/ Crate work	16.19
90	Permanent restoration in Birwan Nallah at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
91	Permanent restoration near Omara morh at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	3.85
92	Permanent restoration in Rakh Badali at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
93	Permanent restoration in Rount Udampur at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
94	Permanent restoration in Chakkar and Tirshi at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
95	Permanent restoration in Shiv Nagar at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
96	Permanent restoration in Saddal at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
97	Permanent restoration in Jasarkote at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
98	Permanent restoration in Lalli at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
99	Permanent restoration in Ladda A at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
100	Catchment of Narsoo Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
101	Permanent restoration at Sewna Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
102	Permanent restoration at Bupp Panchayat Matrada Brad Nallah at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	
	Total :-		388.15

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Annexure -C

<u>Details of Damages to Irrigation infrastructure in Chenani Constituency</u>		
S.NO.	Name of Work	Estimated Cost (Rs. In Lacs)
CHENANI-GHORDI		
1	Permanent restoration of Bain Khul at places	28.52
2	Permanent restoration of Sudmahadev Khul at places	29.00
3	Permanent restoration of chouka Nallah Khul at places	36.71
4	Permanent restoration of Baschal to Chabba Khul at places	26.00
5	Permanent restoration of Baschal Khul at places	0.00
6	Permanent restoration of Ossu Khul at places	32.25
7	Permanent restoration of Sarar Khul at places	0.00
8	Permanent restoration of Banja Khul a places	0.00
9	Permanent restoration of Saroori Khul at places	0.00
10	Permanent restoration of Kulinee to Neeli Khul at places.	0.00
11	Permanent restoration of Budhakedar Khul at places	0.00
12	Permanent restoration of Jugal to Chunnail Khul at places	0.00
13	Permanent restoration of Charat Jyot Khul at places	0.00
14	Permanent restoration of Kirchi Khul at places	0.00
15	Permanent restoration of PunnaKhul at places	0.00
16	Permanent restoration of Jakhed Khul at places	0.00
17	Permanent restoration of Dudu Khul at places	0.00
18	Permanent restoration of Sarota Khul at places	9.99
19	Permanent Restoration of Bhootan wali Khul	14.46
20	Permanent Restoration of Jagirghordi Khul	0.00
21	Permanent Restoration of Neeli Majana Khul	0.00
22	Permanent Restoration of Kothi Dhanous Khul	17.47
23	Permanent Restoration of Tanah FurohKhul	0.00
24	Permanent Restoration of Nallah Ghorrian Khul	0.00
25	Permanent Restoration of Blater khul	0.00
26	Permanent Restoration of Mandal Barmeen Khul	0.00
27	Permanent Restoration of Langa Khul	0.00
28	Permanent Restoration of Gorla Khul	0.00
29	Permanent Restoration of Patti to Kouli Khul	10.15
30	Permanent Restoration of Kalma Khul	0.00
31	Permanent Restoration of Prowa Khul	0.00
32	Permanent Restoration of Sarsoo khul	0.00
33	Permanent Restoration of Nassanwali Khul	0.00
34	Permanent Restoration of Gold Nallah to Jassani Khul	27.03
Total:-		231.58

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Annexure - D

Details of Damages to Flood infrastructure in Chenani Constituency			
S.NO.	Local nallah/River	Type of FPW	Estimated Cost (Rs. In Lacs)
Chenani-Ghordi			
1	Pakhalai nallah at spots	Crate work	3.86
2	Devika Stream (Sudhmahadev to haridwar) at spots	Crate work	2.44
3	P/work near Hr. Sec. School Kud	P/wall	0.80
4	Kirchi nallah at spots	Crate work	10.90
5	Madha nallah at spots	Crate work	12.72
6	Latti & Marothi nallah at spots	Crate work	13.27
7	Sarar Nallah at spots	Crate work	7.06
8	Jakhed Nallah at spots	Crate work	8.68
9	Budhakedar nallah at spots	Crate work	9.76
10	Kotli Bala Nallah at spots	Crate work	3.93
11	Kheri Nallah at spots	Crate work	3.81
12	Basantri Nallah at spots	Crate work	2.00
13	Dhar Gaddian Nallah at spots	Crate work	1.72
14	Ossu Nallah at spots	Crate work	3.72
15	Bashat Nallah at spots	Crate work	4.80
16	Sarori Nallah at spots	Crate work	15.46
17	Karlah Nallah at spots	Crate work	0.00
18	Thard nallah at spots	Crate work	0.00
19	Binisung near temple	Crate work	0.00
20	Kud nallah, Pachot and dogramorh at spots	Crate work	0.00
21	Mandal Nallah Pyt Tandar	Crate work	0.00
22	Laddan Power House at spots	Crate	0.00
23	River Tawi near Salmay Bridge	Crate	0.00
24	Tandar Nallah & Nagulta Nallah at spots	Crate	0.00
25	Dhanas Nallah at spots	Crate	0.00
26	Gharrian Kulasar Nallah& Khurd Nallah at spots	Crate	0.00
27	Pattangarh nallah at spots	Crate	0.00
28	Chazz Nallah at spots	Crate	0.00
29	Tarthyal Nallah at spots	Crate	0.00
30	Latti Nallah near Shamshan Ghat	Crate	0.00
31	Dudu near Jakhed Shamshan Ghat at River tawi	Crate	0.00
32	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Ghordi nallah, nallah Ghorrian and its tributaries.	P/wall/ Crate work	8.95
33	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Barmeen , Satyalta & Sarsoo nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	15.23
34	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Champal Nallah, Sulgar,& Hartyan.Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	21.75
35	Permanent Restoration of flood protection works at Mani Bindla Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	4.61
36	Catchment of Narsoo Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
37	Permanent restoration at Sewna Nallah	P/wall/ Crate work	0.00
38	Permanent restoration at Bupp Panchayat Matrada Brad Nallah at spots	P/wall/ Crate work	
Total :-			155.47



I&FC Department of Kashmir, Details of damages caused during floods of August & September, 2025

S No	District	Division	No of Schemes/ Canals damaged	No. of Spots Damaged	Fund requirement for Irrigation (Rs. In Cr.)	Fund requirement for Flood (Rs. In Cr.)	Total Fund requirement for (Rs. In Cr.) (6+7)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Anantnag	MID Anantnag	17	0	0.3742	0.0000	0.3742
2		ID Anantnag	36	0	0.8255	0.0000	0.8255
3		FCD Anantnag	0	64	0.0000	5.0000	5.0000
4	Bandipora	HydBandipora	8	3	0.9039	0.2150	1.1189
5		IFCD Sumbal	0	5	0.0412	3.3654	3.4066
6		SSD Gurez	4	2	0.3100	0.1900	0.5000
7	Budgam	ID Budgam	16	5	1.1462	0.7042	1.8504
8		FSC Narbal	0	32	0.0000	2.2413	2.2413
9	Ganderbal	IFCD Ganderbal	9	4	0.6700	0.3300	1.0000
10	Kulgam	ID Kulgam	20	0	2.7960	0.0000	2.7960
11	Kupwara	SSD Tangdar	3	13	0.1500	0.8500	1.0000
12	Pulwama	ID Tral	6	0	0.1990	0.0000	0.1990
13		ID Pulwama	25	0	0.8100	0.0000	0.8100
14		ICD Pampore	4	3	0.8955	0.0620	0.9575
15		FCD Kakapora	0	25	0.0000	5.2080	5.2080
16	Shopian	ID Shopian	13	0	1.5065	0.0000	1.5065
17	Srinagar	IFCD Srinagar	1	4	0.1100	4.9940	5.1040
	Total		162	160	10.7380	23.1599	33.8979



Annexure – F

Details of Existing & Sanctioned Strength in respect of I&FC Udhampur

S.No	Name of the Post	No. of posts			
		Sanctioned Strength	In Position	Vacant	Excess
1	Executive Engineer	1	1	0	0
2	Assistant Executive Engineer	5	2	3	0
4	Assistant Engineer	4	3	1	0
5	Assistant Accounts Officer	1	1	0	0
6	Head Assistant	1	0	1	0
7	Senior Assistant	4	2	2	0
8	Junior Assistant	8	8	0	0
9	Junior Engineer	19	5	14	0
10	Driver	3	0	3	0
11	Head Draftsman	1	0	1	0
12	Draftsman	6	4	2	0
13	Work Supervisor	21	4	17	0
14	Orderly	11	9	2	0
15	Gang-Coolie	33	16	17	0
16	Civil Helper	17	1	16	0
17	Baildar	4	4	0	1
18	Khalasi	1	1	0	0
19	Khanshama	1	0	1	0
20	Civil helper(Migrant)	1	1	0	0
21	Ziladar	1	0	1	0
22	Amin	1	1	0	0
23	Patwari	7	1	6	0
24	Guage Reader	4	0	4	0
	Total	155	64	91	0

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Division Wise details of Amount Allotted for restoration of infrastructure after last year floods

S. No.	Division	Amount Allotted (Rs. in crore)
1	ID Anantnag	0.1665
2	PHE HyDBandipora	0.9800
3	IFCD Sumbal	0.0412
4	FSCD Narbal	0.5196
5	IFCD Sringar	0.9040
6	ID Ompora	1.0814
7	ID Tral	0.1140
8	FCD Kakapora	1.8580
9	Irrigation Division -I Jammu	0.127
10	Irrigation Division -II Jammu	0.071
11	Irrigation Division Kathua	0.352
	Total	6.2132



V. Dr. Devinder Kumar Manyal, Hon'ble MLA, to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the damages caused due to floods in Ramgarh Constituency and the measures initiated for protection and restoration works indicating the status of works under execution and proposed date for commencement of such pending works.

Reply

The unprecedented floods of August- September 2025 caused huge damage in Samba district and the critical spots that require restoration works have been identified by the department. In order to carry out the restoration works, a comprehensive DPR has been framed and source of funding is being explored. However, till date no funds have been received as such the restoration works have not been initiated.

2. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the non-availability and irregular water supply in various Irrigation Canals in Districts Samba, Kathua and Jammu, particularly in Ramgarh, Bishnah, R.S. Pura and Suchetgarh Constituencies, resulting in low water levels affecting agricultural fields, and the corrective measures proposed by the Government in this regard.

Reply

The major canals supplying irrigation water in Jammu district are the Ranbir Canal, with a distribution network of 460 km and a Cultivable Command Area (CCA) of 38,608 hectares, and the New Pratap Canal, with a distribution network of 190 km and a CCA of 9,028 hectares.

In Kathua district, irrigation needs are met through the Kathua Canal, which has a distribution network of 77 km and a CCA of 8,463 hectares. The Samba district is served by the canal network managed by the RTIC Department.

The above mentioned canals get silted each year due to the deposition of sediment carried by flowing water between April and December.

The condition of these canals is sound and the system remains fully functional throughout the irrigation season. The department regularly undertakes improvement and maintenance works under various heads, as per the budgetary provisions, to ensure that the irrigation water reaches the tail ends of the canals.

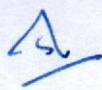
Even during the peak demand season, the department provides water to the tail end farmers by implementing Warabandi System (rotational water supply system).

3. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the dilapidated condition of old Irrigation infrastructure, including tube well machinery as nearly 80 percent of reported to be non-functional in District Samba, especially in the border areas of Ramgarh Constituency, and the urgent need for urgent replacement on these irrigation tubewells and allied machinery

Reply

In Samba District there are a total of 75 Tube Wells, out of which 17 are Non Functional/Defunct (23%). The breakdown and the subsequent restoration of the Tube Wells is a continuous process. (List enclosed as **Annexure "A"**)

During Current Financial year, the old / defunct machinery at 04 No. Tube Wells namely **Narayanpur - I, Jhang, Ramgarh and Trindian** has been replaced with new machinery and Tube Wells made functional in the district.



4. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the total number of functional and non-functional Irrigation Tubewells in Ramgarh Constituency and the steps taken for undertaking the repairing, replacement, and up-gradation in this regard as per the requirement.

Reply

The total No. of Irrigation Tube wells (District wise) indicating Functional and Non-Functional is enclosed as **Annexure "B"**.

The list of Tube wells (district wise) restored by way of repairs, replacement of machinery, redevelopment during 2025-26 is also enclosed as **Annexure "C"**.

In order to augment the existing irrigation network of Tube Wells, a DPR for installation of 5 new Tube Wells has been prepared for which source of funding is being explored and every year upgradation works are undertaken under UT Capex/District Capex plan as per approved budget.



ANNEXURE-A

Status of Tubewells station-wise present in District Samba in respect of Tube Well Irrigation Division Jammu

S.No.	District	Name of the Station	Block	Constituency	Status (Functional / Non-Functional)	Remarks
1	Samba	Gho Brahmana	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non Functional	
2	Samba	Swankha A	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non Functional	
3	Samba	RakhJhang (BADP-15)	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
4	Samba	Bainglarh	Samba	Ramgarh	Functional	
5	Samba	Trindian (Badhwal)	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non Functional	Made Functional during 2025-26 under UT Capex
6	Samba	Hira Chak	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non Functional	
7	Samba	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non Functional	Made Functional during 2025-26 under UT Capex
8	Samba	KesoKamore	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non Functional	
9	Samba	Kullian	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non Functional	
10	Samba	Kullian-A (Shamshanghat)	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non Functional	
11	Samba	Maharajpur	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non Functional	
12	Samba	NaiBasti	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
13	Samba	BalotranChak	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
14	Samba	RakhAbtal-A	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
15	Samba	RakhAbtal-B	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
16	Samba	RakhBarotian	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non Functional	
17	Samba	Swankha-A	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
18	Samba	Paluta	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
19	Samba	Hira Chak – A	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
20	Samba	Jhang	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non-Functional	Made Functional during 2025-26 under District Capex Samba
21	Samba	Bamboo Chak	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
22	Samba	Dug	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
23	Samba	Sarwa	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
24	Samba	KotliMatkalian	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non Functional	
25	Samba	Pardi	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
26	Samba	Chambyal	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
27	Samba	NaryanPur-I	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non Functional	Made Functional during 2025-26 under District Capex Samba
28	Samba	NaryanPur-II	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
29	Samba	PartapGarh Minor	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
30	Samba	Malshah	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
31	Samba	MukhaMera	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
32	Samba	Kamore	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Non Functional	
33	Samba	Malshah I	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
34	Samba	RakhAbtal C	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
35	Samba	Chakjawahar	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
36	Samba	Kangwala Patti	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Functional	
37	Samba	Ramgarh A	Ramgarh	Ramgarh	Defunct	
38	Samba	Chichowal –A	Rajpura	Samba	Functional	
39	Samba	Muthikhurd	Ghagwal	Samba	Functional	
40	Samba	Naran	Ghagwal	Samba	Functional	
41	Samba	Palloura	Rajpura	Samba	Functional	
42	Samba	DulmaChak	Rajpura	Samba	Functional	
43	Samba	Mawa-A	Rajpura	Samba	Functional	
44	Samba	Ghagwal	Ghagwal	Samba	Functional	
45	Samba	ManguChak	Rajpura	Samba	Non Functional	
46	Samba	Sarthian	Rajpura	Samba	Functional	
47	Samba	ChannGudian	Ghagwal	Samba	Functional	
48	Samba	Gangeeth	Ghagwal	Samba	Non Functional	
49	Samba	Arangal	Rajpura	Samba	Functional	
50	Samba	Regal	Rajpura	Samba	Functional	
51	Samba	Regal A	Rajpura	Samba	Functional	

52	Samba	Challerian	Rajpura	Samba	Non functional	
53	Samba	Chichowal	Rajpura	Samba	Functional	
54	Samba	Muthikhurd	Ghagwal	Samba	Functional	
55	Samba	Bari – Kamila	Nud	Samba	Functional	
56	Samba	Sunjwan-I	Samba	Samba	Functional	
57	Samba	Sunjwan-II	Samba	Samba	Functional	
58	Samba	Bari kamila-B	Nud	Samba	Functional	
59	Samba	Rehian	Samba	Samba	Functional	
60	Samba	Kathlai	Samba	Samba	Functional	
61	Samba	Manohar Gopala	Samba	Samba	Functional	
62	Samba	Chak Manga Gujran	Samba	Samba	Functional	
63	Samba	Kangwala (SC Mohalla)	Samba	Samba	Functional	
64	Samba	Pangdore	Samba	Samba	Functional	
65	Samba	BadlaDeonia	Nud	Samba	Functional	
66	Samba	Bara	Vijaypur	Vijaypur	Functional	
67	Samba	Chak Ram Chand	Vijaypur	Vijaypur	Functional	
68	Samba	Nagrota	Purmandal	Vijaypur	Functional	
69	Samba	Koulpur-I	Vijaypur	Vijaypur	Functional	
70	Samba	Koulpur-II	Vijaypur	Vijaypur	Functional	
71	Samba	Gurwal	Vijaypur	Vijaypur	Non Functional	
72	Samba	Chumbian	Vijaypur	Vijaypur	Functional	
73	Samba	Gurwal-II	Vijaypur	Vijaypur	Non Functional	
74	Samba	Badwal	Vijaypur	Vijaypur	Non Functional/Capped	
75	Samba	Badali	Vijaypur	Vijaypur	Functional	

Total No. of Tube-wells: 75

Defunct : 1

Functional: 58

Non functional: 16



Present Status of Defunct/Operational Tube Wells installed in respect of Tube -Well Irrigation Division Jammu

S.No	Name of District	Total No. of Tube Wells	No. of Repairs/Replacements in 2025-26	Functional	Non-Functional/Defunct
1	Jammu	293	80	127	166
2	Samba	75	31	58	17
3	Kathua	33	15	26	7
Total		401	126	211	190



District Wise List of Tube Wells Restored by way of replacement of machinery/redevelopment / repair during 2025-26

District Jammu

S.No.	Name of Tube-well	S.No.	Name of Tube-well
1	KorotoanaKhurd 1 A	40	Tegowali 2 A
2	Magowali	41	Biaspur 3
3	PindiCharkan	42	PindiPathaKhurd
4	Nikowal 5	43	Trewa 2
5	Chakroi BI	44	Badyall A
6	Sai A 3	45	Gharana 4th
7	Arnia K	46	Pindi A
8	Rani Bagh	47	Bulla Chak B 2
9	Basapur IV	48	Sherachak 3
10	Chatha A	49	KotliQazian B 1
11	Alla I A	50	Nikowal 4th
12	Raipur Siadian I A	51	Nikowal 6
13	FatehpurBrhamana	52	BidipurAwana 3rd
14	Lalupur I	53	Biaspur 4
15	Baspurparlah 2 A	54	Bulla Chak A2
16	Tohana 2	55	Budhwar
17	Nowabad I A	56	Rathana
18	Arnia H	57	Arnia A
19	Makwal 2	58	Manna
20	Sohal	59	Bulla Chak 8th
21	Rattian	60	Jabowal 3rd
22	GS Pura H	61	Alla B
23	GS Pura E	62	Tegowali New
24	Arnia B 2	63	RakhBadyal E
25	Arnia B I	64	RakhBadyal A
26	Jabowal A 2	65	Mohanpur
27	KotliKukan	66	Bulla Chak E
28	Chatha B	67	BiaspurParlah 2 B
29	GS Pura D	68	Abdullian B I
30	BaspurParlah I A	69	Koushalpur I A
31	Deewangarh B 2	70	Jajowal 3rd
32	Sherachak 2	71	Sai B I
33	Devigarh 3 A	72	Sai C I
34	Sai B 3	73	GS Pura A I
35	Abdullian A	74	Bulla Chak New
36	KotheyCharkan	75	KotliRayian 3rd
37	KotliQazian C	76	Nadrole
38	Rehmangarh	77	Rangpur Sidhra
39	BidipurJattan	78	Bulla Chak B1 (Replacement of machinery)
		79	Bulla Chak 3 (Replacement of machinery)
		80	Chacklala (Replacement of machinery)

VI. Mr. Shakti Raj Parihar, Hon'ble MLA to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No.22 in order to discuss the steps taken to ascertain the causes of floods occurred in J&K during the previous year and the concrete measures taken to prevent floods in future.

Reply

Jammu and Kashmir has a very peculiar geography and climate. Most of the valley regions of J&K are fed by rivers like Jhelum, Tawi and Chenab. Low-lying areas of the Kashmir Valley, especially Srinagar, along with parts of Jammu, are prone to floods that occur due to heavy rainfall in upper catchment areas.

The floods are the result of excess rainfall in the catchment area of a river. Increasing temperatures, erratic weather pattern as a consequence of climate change, has led to increase in rainfall intensity. Urbanisation, loss of flood plain storage, inappropriate development, and other anthropogenic activities like deforestation, human access in fragile ecology and unplanned development are some of the key causes and drivers of floods risk in J&K.

In Kashmir valley flood problem manifests usually in the form of inundation due to bowl shaped Topography of valley being surrounded by steep mountains and the main drainage channel having lean gradient with slope of around 1 in 10000 and inadequate capacity to carry flood waters. As far as September 2014 flood is considered, the discharge at Sangam was 1,15,000 Cusec at Sangam, which is almost three times the current capacity of the river Jhelum.

In Jammu region flood problem manifest in the form of land erosion mostly. Due to steep river gradients, it leads to flash flows and increased bank and land erosion. The floods in August and September 2025 created havoc in Jammu region leading to collateral damage to the infrastructure including roads, bridges, building, houses, canals and other important public infrastructure.

Post September 2014, multi hazard Risk assessment study has been conducted by JTFRP through RMSI. The objective of the study is to establish an appropriate and scientific method for assessing the risks and vulnerabilities associated with various hazards under consideration including floods and prepare risk assessment outputs that will enable Government of J&K in formulating disaster risk management/reduction plans and strategies. One of the key deliverables under this study is the development of Integrated Operational Forecasting System (IOFS) which is web base flood early warning tool to help in better predicting and informed decision-making during floods. IOFS is currently under validation stage.

In addition, two specific studies were commissioned by JTFRP to examine the flood problem in the River basin Tawi and Jhelum. The recommendations under these studies will help to give long term road map for flood mitigation. The various structural and non-structural measures shall accordingly be considered for DPR formulation and implementation.

Floods are natural phenomena and permanent immunity against floods is not technologically feasible. However, impacts of floods can be mitigated to a certain degree by adopting appropriate structural and non-structural measures.

2. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No.22 in order to discuss the district-wise and work-wise breakdown of expenditure incurred by the Department for the restoration of infrastructure damaged due to floods.

Reply

The details of expenditure made district wise and work wise by the I&FC Department both in Jammu and Kashmir provinces are provided **Annexures A & B**.

3. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No.22 in order to discuss details of expenditure incurred on Irrigation canals in Doda West Constituency during FY 2025-26, indicating the scheme-wise allocation, functional status of canals, and specific time-bound completion of Kastigarh Canal.

Reply

The details of expenditure incurred on various khuls during FY 2025-26 in Doda West Constituency including their present status is enclosed as **Annexure "C"** and the details of Kastigarh Canal is enclosed as **Annexure "D"**.



Works carried out by I&FC Kashmir Post 2025 Floods

Annexure-A

S. No.	District	Division	Name of scheme/ work	Amount (in crores)	Expenditure Incurred (in Crore)
1	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Pethan Z-Khul	0.0170	0.0170
2	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	MerchekKhul	0.0180	0.0100
3	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	MerchekKhul	0.0200	0.0200
4	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Gurhanjipora Canal	0.0130	0.0100
5	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Shahjoi Canal	0.0100	0.0100
6	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Nan Khul	0.0100	0.0100
7	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Mahind Canal	0.0100	0.0100
8	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	DarkhanWohan Canal 2nd	0.0100	0.0100
9	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Beora Canal	0.0200	0.0200
10	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Awantipora Canal	0.0150	0.0150
11	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Waghama Z- khul	0.0200	0.0200
12	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Lallan first of shah and lallankuls	0.0003	0.0003
13	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Gorinardladi	0.0003	0.0003
14	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Bragamladi	0.0002	0.0002
15	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Grazun irrigation Canal	0.0002	0.0002
16	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	DawakladigohanVailooladi	0.0002	0.0002
17	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Shajikul	0.0002	0.0002
18	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Gundinowroz B/o Dehganbrengi canal	0.0002	0.0002
19	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Mirgund Canal	0.0001	0.0001
20	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Mirgund Canal	0.0002	0.0002
21	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	MOSH KHUL	0.0002	0.0002
22	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Bringi Canal Old	0.0002	0.0002
23	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Bringi Canal Old	0.0002	0.0002
24	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Kulal,Kaward and NewaLadhs	0.0002	0.0002
25	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Dhobi Khul	0.0002	0.0002
26	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Damhal Irrigation Network	0.0001	0.0001
27	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Hanji Danter Canal	0.0001	0.0001
28	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Akingam Canal	0.0002	0.0002
29	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Achabal Distributary System	0.0002	0.0002
30	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Deethu canal	0.0001	0.0001
31	Anantnag	ID Anantnag	Deethu canal	0.0001	0.0001
Total Anantnag				0.1665	0.1555
1	Bandipora	PHE (Hyd) Division Bandipora	War Khul	0.0450	0.0082
2	Bandipora	PHE (Hyd) Division Bandipora	ChuntimullahKhul	0.0800	0.0528
3	Bandipora	PHE (Hyd) Division Bandipora	Sofi Khul	0.1000	0.0297
4	Bandipora	PHE (Hyd) Division Bandipora	GarooraKhul	0.2600	0.1088
5	Bandipora	PHE (Hyd) Division Bandipora	AragamKhul	0.1200	0.0306

6	Bandipora	PHE (Hyd) Division Bandipora	Zamindari Khul	0.0300	0.0086
7	Bandipora	PHE (Hyd) Division Bandipora	AragamKhul	0.2500	0.0994
8	Bandipora	IFCD Sumbal	LIS Hakabara Dewatering, LIS Alicheck and LIS Latyari	0.0412	0.0081
9	Bandipore	PHE (HYd) Division Bandipore	Damage to boulder bund including toe crate work on both sides of Erin Nallah D/S Papchan bridge	0.0950	0.0563
Total Bandipora				1.0212	0.4025
1	Srinagar	FSCD Narbal.	Hokersar Flood Spill Channel RD 11250m	0.0698	0.0270
2	Srinagar	IFCD Sringar	SLOUGHING OF LEFT EMBANKMENT OF RIVER JHELMUM AT RD 63.5 KM NEAR GANDBAL	0.904	0.2646
Total Srinagar				0.9738	0.2916
1	Budgam	ID Ompora	Sloughing of left embankment due to high water level (Embankment)	0.2952	0.0427
2	Budgam	FSCD Narbal.	ChadooraDoodgangaNallah RD 21500	0.0900	0.0400
3	Budgam	FSCD Narbal.	ChadooraDoodgangaNallah RD 21800	0.0799	0.0529
4	Budgam	FSCD Narbal.	ChadooraDoodgangaNallah RD 21900	0.0603	0.0330
5	Budgam	FSCD Narbal.	PanzanShalligangaNallah RD 22000	0.1000	0.0436
6	Budgam	FSCD Narbal.	Sheikh Mohalla Doodganga Nallah RD 23700	0.0649	0.0395
7	Budgam	FSCD Narbal.	SanziporaTulbranNallah RD 9000	0.0250	0.0177
8	Budgam	FSCD Narbal.	PanzanShalligangaNallah RD 20000	0.0297	0.0215
9	Budgam	ID Ompora	Kanir canal	0.0400	0.0124
10	Budgam	ID Ompora	Saidikhul	0.0700	0.0187
11	Budgam	ID Ompora	Khanchi canal	0.0700	0.0140
12	Budgam	ID Ompora	Ahji canal	0.0400	0.0166
13	Budgam	ID Ompora	ahji canal	0.0600	0.0347
14	Budgam	ID Ompora	Lani Canal / Zani	0.0875	0.0149
15	Budgam	ID Ompora	Nadi khul m/o khanchi canal	0.0400	0.0173
16	Budgam	ID Ompora	Houd m/o khanchi canal	0.0204	0.0190
17	Budgam	ID Ompora	Khanchi canal	0.0500	0.0187
18	Budgam	ID Ompora	Harval canal	0.0412	0.0146
19	Budgam	ID Ompora	Spillway channal of Yousmarg reservoir	0.0500	0.0370
20	Budgam	ID Ompora	Wathora canal	0.0500	0.0157
21	Budgam	ID Ompora	Ranger canal	0.0455	0.0163
22	Budgam	ID Ompora	Naginad dara m/o Ranger	0.0205	0.0150
23	Budgam	ID Ompora	Dehgam canal m/o Kanir canal	0.0300	0.0121

24	Budgam	ID Ompora	Lar Canal / Suresh	0.0205	0.0173
25	Budgam	ID Ompora	Chattergam canal	0.0300	0.0184
26	Budgam	ID Ompora	Gam Khul	0.0206	0.0143
Total Budgam				1.5312	0.6179
1	Pulwama	ID Tral	Geeru Canal	0.0060	0.0060
2	Pulwama	ID Tral	PethKhul	0.0180	0.0180
3	Pulwama	ID Tral	Parganlar	0.0500	0.0000
4	Pulwama	ID Tral	Bud Khul	0.0150	0.0150
5	Pulwama	ID Tral	Geerun Canal	0.0070	0.0070
6	Pulwama	ID Tral	TLIS	0.0180	0.0180
7	Pulwama	FCD Kakapora	Sloughing of left side of Jehlum embankment D/W Marvel LIS at RD 46.00 Km	0.6080	0.1143
8	Pulwama	FCD Kakapora	Breach on left embankment of River Jehluma at ZooniporaBudgam	1.2500	1.0600
Total Pulwama				1.9720	1.2383
Grand Total				5.6647	2.7058

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Annexure B

Details of Funds Released/Expenditure incurred ending January 2026

(Rs. in lakhs)

S.No	Name of District	Name of Work/Project	Funds Released as on Date	Expenditure as on date	Physical Status
1	DODA	LB Canal	2.00	1.99	100%
2		BerarruKhul	2.00	1.987	100%
3		GajothKhul	2.00	1.994	100%
4		PanjgrainKhul	2.00	1.992	100%
5		ChirateKhul	2.00	1.997	100%
6		Mona Khul	2.00	1.99	100%
7		ChakkaKhul	2.00	1.999	100%
8		NerojKhul	1.97	1.87	100%
9		PhagsooKhul	1.93	1.93	100%
10		KharothiKhul	1.97	1.948	100%
11		SarnaKhul	1.97	1.939	100%
12		RB Canal	2.00	1.997	100%
13		GanoraKhul	2.00	1.975	100%
14		ThalelaKhul	1.66	1.617	100%
Total (DODA)			27.50	27.225	
1	JAMMU	Clearance of silt/slip from Main Garkhal Canal between RD 0-150M	0.97	0	100%
2		Clearance of silt/slip from Main Garkhal Canal between RD 150-370M	1.02	0	100%
3		Clearance of silt/slip from Main Garkhal Canal between RD 370-640M	0.96	0	100%
4		Restoration of supply channel of Garkhal Canal/ Kanachak Creek Head works	1.01	0	100%
5		Restoration of D-1 of pargwal Canal between RD 290-315M	1.31	0	100%

6		Restoration of Supply Channel of pargwal Canal	2	0.5	100%
7		Restoration of Sajwal Minor of Pargwal Canal between RD 1480-1530M	2	0.24	100%
8		Restoration of Extension of Pargwal canal and other allied works between RD 780-852M	2	6.98	100%
9	JAMMU	Removal Of Mulba RBM In Main Ranbir Canal Between RD 25560 To 25840 M And Syphon At RD 25840 M Of Main Ranbir Canal	12.72	7.48	100%
10		Temporary restoration damaged section in between RD 640 to 800 of D9 of Main Ranbir Canal	7.1	0	100%
Sub-Total			31.09	15.2	
1	JAMMU	Restoration by impregnation/ rebuilding/strengthening of 200 HP motor of pumping unit no. 1, strengthening/cleaning of 6 cusec discharge H.C. Pump no. 1, 400 KVA voltage stabilizer at LIS Ambaran.	1.39	1.39	100%
2		Restoration by way of Impregnation/repairs to 500 KVA capacity LT 11KV/440 V electric Transformer along with allied works installed at LIS Ranjan	0.8	0.8	100%
3		Restoration by impregnation /rebuilding /strengthening of 100 KVA &150 KVA voltage stabilizer along with repair to 200mm Dia & 250mm Dia foot valve with allied works at LIS Kathar	1.37	1.37	100%
4		Restoration by impregnation/ rebuilding/ strengthening of 135HP and 120HP three phase induction motor of unit nos. 01 and 02 with allied works at LIS Seripalai	0.75	0.75	100%
5		Restoration by impregnation/ rebuilding /strengthening of 275 HP motors of pumping unit no. 1, 2 & 3 and 1000 KVA voltage stabilizer with allied works at LIS Bardoh	1.74	1.74	100%
6		Restoration by impregnation /strengthening/rebuilding of 60 HP motors of unit no. 1&2 along with 250 KVA voltage stabilizer & 250KVA electric power transformer and suction pipes at LIS Kah	2.1	2.1	100%
7		Restoration by way of repair to 33KVA grid station (outdoor VCB) at electric sub-station along with allied works at Ranjan	1.62	1.62	100%
8		Restoration by way of repair to 33KVA grid station insulator, Lightning arrester, Gang switch assembly at electric sub-station along with allied works at Ranjan	1.41	1.41	100%
9		Restoration by way of providing / fitting of new desludging/de-silting pump delivery line along with allied works at LIS Ranjan	0.91	0.91	100%
10		Restoration by impregnation/ rebuilding/strengthening of 40 HP motors of pumping unit no. 1, 2 & 3 and 250 KVA voltage stabilizer with allied works at LIS Mukeri	1.81	1.81	100%
11		Restoration by way of Design, fabrication, providing and fixing of copper HV/LV Coils for 2.5 MVA capacity Power transformer 33 kV/6.6 kV with, mounting and accessories (Unit- I) for smooth running of LIS Ranjan	2.48	2.48	100%
12		Restoration by way of repairs to HT Cable of 2.5 MVA ,6.6 KV Automatic Voltage	2.24	2.24	100%

		Regulator-II and switch gear along with other allied works at LIS Ranjan.			
		S. Total	18.62	18.62	
		Total (JAMMU)	49.71	33.82	
1	RAMBAN	Work done Estimate for restoration of Lower NeeraKhul RD 0 TO 750 m under SDRF	10	0.73	100%
2		Work done Estimate for restoration of Kainthi to Lower NeeraKhul from RD 6100-6900m under SDRF	10	0.64	100%
3		Work done Estimate for temporary restoration of BatyariNallah by way of channelization of Nallah damaged due to recent heavy rainfall/flash floods/clouds brsut by mechanical means form RD 0 to 160 mtrs	10	1.98	100%
4		Work done Estimate for restoration of Lower NeeraKhul RD 60 TO 350 m under SDRF	10	0.79	100%
5		Work done Estimate of labour charges for restoration of DharamKhul RD 0-1650 M under SDRF	10	0.87	100%
6		Work done Estimate for temporary restoration of BatyariNallah by way of channelization of Nallah damaged due to recent heavy rainfall/flash floods/clouds brsut by mechanical means form RD 0 to 160 mtrs	10	1.61	100%
7		Work done Estimate for restoration of Lower NeeraKhul RD 1160-1325m under SDRF	10	0.51	100%
8		Work done Estimate for restoration of Lower NeeraKhul by way of slip and silt clearance under SDRF	10	1.13	100%
9		Work done Estimate for temporary restoration of BatyariNallah by way of channelization of Nallah damaged due to recent heavy rainfall/flash floods/clouds burst by mechanical means form RD 300 to 500 mtrs	10	1.73	100%
		Total (RAMBAN)	90	9.99	
1	REASI	LadhKhul	0.90	0.00	80%
2		SanyallaKhul	2.00	0.00	0%
3		DebotalKhul	0.30	0.30	100%
4		SarhKhul	2.00	0.00	0%
5		SimbalNariKhul	0.40	0.40	100%
6		Hatti khul	0.30	0.29	100%
7		KhadKhul	0.40	0.00	65%
8		Gundi to KarachakKhul	0.40	0.39	100%

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Annexure C

Statement showing expenditure incurred in various khuls of Doda West constituency 2025-26

S No.	Name of the Work	Authorized Amount	Expenditure	Status
1	Improvement /Restoration of Jangulwar Khul	55000	40179	Partially Functional
2	Improvement /Restoration of Khellani Khul	55000	37844	Partially Functional
3	Improvement /Restoration of Goha Khul	70000	35167	Partially Functional
4	Improvement /Restoration of Assar Khul	75000	60700	Partially Functional
5	Improvement /Restoration of Jathi Khul	60000	48000	Functional
6	Improvement /Restoration of Ganika Khul	80000	46811	Partially Functional
7	Improvement /Restoration of Mandole Khul	45000	31500	Partially Functional
	Total	440000	300201	

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Annexure D

Detail of expenditure /target date of completion of Kastigarh canal under UT CAPEX

(Rs. in lakhs)

S No.	Name of Work	Ongoing/ New	Division	Estt. Cost	Cumm Tender Cost till date	Cumm Allotted Cost	Approved Capex Budget 2025-26	Cumulative Exp. 03/2025	Funds Released 2025-26	Exp. As on date	Cumulative Exp. Till date	Target Date of Completion
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
4701-MEDIUM IRRIGATION												
1	RE-CONSTRUCTION OF KASTIGARH CANAL (IRRSS2022100034)	Ongoing	I&FC Division Doda	541.88	455.38	326.88	150.00	183.39	127.50	41.208	224.60	Mar-27

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VII. Mr. Ranbir Singh Pathania, Hon'ble MLA, I moved the following Cut Motions :-

1. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the alleged diversion of approximately ₹3.00 crore sanctioned for canal repairs in Nowshera Division towards construction of Irrigation Dak Bungalow at Rajal, indicating the reasons and approval for such diversion and the status of Administrative and financial sanction obtained.

Reply

11 new works having estimated cost of Rs. 375.30 lacs were approved for the year 2025-26 which also includes the work namely "Construction of Irrigation Guest House/Dak Bungalow at Rajal" amounting to Rs. 145 lacs. However, there is no such diversion of funds, amounting to approximately Rs. 3.00crore sanctioned for canal repairs in Nowshera Division towards construction of Irrigation Dak Bungalow at Rajal.

2. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the impact of diversion on canal restoration works in Nowshera Division, including a) Number of minor irrigation works presently non-functional b) Status of Rajal Gravity Canal and timeline for completion c) Year-wise electricity payments to PDD for Rajal Lift Irrigation Scheme during the last five years.

Reply

Since no funds have been diverted towards construction of Irrigation Dak Bungalow at Rajal from the allocation kept for the repair of canals, therefore, there is no impact on canal restoration works in Nowshera Division. Furthermore, out of above-mentioned 11 no. new works, 5 no. works having estimated cost of Rs. 110.00 lacs have been approved for the year 2025-26 for the renovation/upkeep of the canals.

- a) List of non-functional minor irrigation schemes is enclosed as **Annexure "A"**.
- b) Rajal Gravity Canal is incomplete as major components viz. head works and two major aqueducts are yet to be constructed. A Detailed Project Report (DPR)for construction of the balance works is under formulation.
- c) A total payment of Rs. 5.03 crore has been made to PDD for Rajal Lift Irrigation Scheme in last five years, detail of which is as under:

Year	Payment made
2021-22	8180425
2022-23	8330415
2023-24	7295621
2024-25	9802033
2025-26	16752589
Total	5,03,61,083

3 I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the reasons of delay in completion of major and medium Irrigation projects across J&K and gap between irrigation potential created against utilised.

Reply

Major irrigation projects are those which cater to the cultivable command area (CCA) of more than 10000 hectares. Currently there are no major irrigation projects under execution both in Jammu and Kashmir province, so the question of delay does not arise.

Medium irrigation projects are those which cater to the cultivable command area (CCA) between 2000 to 10000 hectares. All the projects are being monitored and supervised by engineering staff right from junior to senior level to ensure that timelines are strictly adhered to. No medium irrigation project has suffered prolonged delay both in Jammu and Kashmir province.

S No.	Province	Major Irrigation Projects	Medium Irrigation Projects	Minor Irrigation Projects	Total IPC	Total IPU	Gap between IPC & IPU	%age Gap
1	Jammu	0.91		0.94	1.85	1.16	0.69	37%
2	Kashmir	-	0.65	1.53	2.18	1.75	0.43	20%
Total		1.56		2.47	4.03	2.91	1.12	28%

The following steps are being taken to reduce IPC (Irrigation Potential Created)& IPU (Irrigation Potential Utilized) gap:

- By undertaking lining works in canals to reduce seepage losses, which improves the conveyance efficiency. The conveyance efficiency of unlined canal is 55-60% while as that of lined canal is 70-75%. These works are being taken up under CAPEX and M&R Budget.
- Modernisation/Renovation of existing canals/schemes especially under NABARD programme helps to bridge the gap.
- Desilting of main canals, minors and outlets to ensure that water reaches tail end under convergence under RDD.
- Development of field channels for last mile connectivity is being also done by Command Area Department (CAD) pari passu to minimize the gap.

4. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the adequacy of flood control and desilting works in rivers and Nallahs including Devika and Tawi, particularly in Udhampur district.

Reply

No desilting is carried in River Tawi and River Devika as well as adjoining Nallahs. However, protection works on 05 spots in River Tawi are in the proposal phase as per below tabulated format. Further no protection work has been proposed in river Devika.

PROTECTION WORK PROPOSED UNDER SASCI IN RIVER TAWI			
S No.	Local nallah/River	Type of FPW	Estimated Amount [in lacs]
1	Dibber near river Tawi at spots	Crate work	7.25
2	Kaw near river Tawi at spots	Crate work	20.30
3	Binisung near temple	Crate work	29.00
4	River Tawi near Salmay Bridge	Crate work	13.05
5	Dudu near Jakhed Shamshan Ghat at River Tawi	Crate work	2.40
Total			72.00

5. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the utilisation of capital outlay under flood control projects in Budget 2026-27 and percentage expenditure achieved in previous financial year


Reply

Utilization of capital outlay under flood control projects in Budget 2026-27 and percentage expenditure achieved in previous financial year is as under:

(Rs in lacs)								
Year/ Scheme	2024-25				2025-26			
	Outlay	Funds released	Expenditure	% age exp.	Outlay	Funds released till date	Expenditure till date	% age exp.
Jammu								
UT CAPEX	4600	3672.72	2926.5	79.7	4600	3862.1	1203.4	31.16
NABARD	2600	2213.44	1564.53	70.7	2600	2400	1664.32	69.35
TOTAL	7200	5886.16	4491.03	76.3	7200	6262.1	2867.72	45.79
Kashmir								
UT CAPEX	2600	2188.55	1730.26	79.05	2600	1921.00	969.00	50.44
NABARD	1700	208.07	114.99	55.26	1700	1504.00	647.00	43.02
TOTAL	4300	2396.62	1845.25	76.99	4300	3425	1616	47.18

**List of non-functional Lift Irrigation Schemes/Gravity Schemes in respect of Irrigation & Flood
Control Division Nowshera**

S No.	Name of the Canal/ Khul/ Irrigation Project	Type of irrigation scheme	Block	Panchayat	Remarks
1	Jinda peer Khul LIS	Lift	Nowshera	Narian	Funds earmarked during the current financial year to make the scheme functional.
2	Chajja LIS	Lift	Sunderbani	Thandapani	
3	LikkiTalla	Lift	Sunderbani	Changi Karkyal	Non-viable as the source has been diverted due to climate change. The DPR for revival of the scheme has been prepared and source of funding is being explored.
4	Sangpur Khul	Gravity	Nowshera	Sangpur	The DPR amounting to Rs. 2.06 crores has been approved under NABARD under RIDF XXXI
5	Narain Khul	Gravity	Nowshera	Narain	Canal Damaged. Need Extension of supply channel as water level is low at head site. DPR under process.
6	Sangeri Khul	Gravity	Moughla	Jungryal	Head Works damaged in flood of 2014. The DPR amounting to Rs. 236 lacs consisting of 7 no. schemes has been prepared and source of funding is being explored.
7	Mogla Keri Khul	Gravity	Moughla	Keri Chabber	DPR for revival of scheme is under preparation.
8	Dhanwan Dalyote	Gravity	Kalakote	Dalyote-A	The DPR amounting to Rs. 236 lacs consisting of 7 no. schemes has been prepared and source of funding is being explored.
9	Siot Canal	Gravity	Siot	Siot-A	The DPR amounting to Rs. 236 lacs consisting of 7 no. schemes has been prepared and source of funding is being explored.



VIII. Mr. Pawan Kumar Gupta, Hon'ble MLA to move the following Cut Motions:-

- 1. I move a cut of ₹100 in Demand No. 22 to discuss the temporary and permanent restoration of various works under the Disaster Management Project affected by natural calamities of August–September 2025.**

Reply

The unprecedented floods of Aug – Sept 2025 caused major damages to irrigation and flood control infrastructure affecting 1123 locations. Sector wise abstract of damages is as under:

Jammu					
S. No.	Sector	No. of Damages / Works	Cost of restoration (in crore)		Total (in crores)
			Temporary	Permanent	
1	Irrigation Sector	571	6.10	28.92	35.02
2	Flood Sector	552	4.40	160.44	164.84
Total		1123	10.50	189.36	199.86
Kashmir					
1	Irrigation Sector	281	00	11.45	11.45
2	Flood Sector	154	00	22.45	22.45
Total		435	00	33.90	33.90

Since only major damages have been temporarily restored in the irrigation sector by the department utilizing funds under SDRF/UT CAPEX, balance funds/financial assistance is required for restoration of all the pending damages, both in irrigation and flood sector. The DPR for which have been prepared and source of funding is being explored.

- 2. I move a cut of ₹100 in Demand No. 22 to discuss the operational canals of the department in Udhampur District, with a focus on Duddar Canal, which requires repairs and renovation, including lining works and addressing other damages, along with their distribution channels.**

Reply

Udhampur district is served by 152 irrigation schemes covering a total Cultivable Command Area (CCA) of 4,509 hectares. Of these, 135 schemes are currently functional.

Duddar Canal is the largest canal in the Udhampur district having a total irrigation network of 34.5 km and serving to a CCA of 976 hectare and is presently operational. The work for the restoration of damages, post Aug – Sept 2025 floods, to the Duddar Canal amounting to Rs. 60 lacs for which DPR has been prepared and source of funding is being explored.

- 3. I move a cut of ₹100 in Demand No. 22 to discuss the dire condition of Bhounger Khul in the Mounagri area, which urgently requires repairs and restoration at an estimated cost of ₹1.75 crore.**

Reply

Total length of Bhounger khul is 3730 mtr out of which 900 mtr is temporarily functional and rest of 2830 mtr needs immediate repair and renovation. The DPR for repair and renovation of the same has been prepared and source of funding is being explored.

- 4. I move a cut of ₹100 in Demand No. 22 to discuss the un-irrigated areas that have been neglected in Udhampur West Constituency and whether the government will take appropriate**

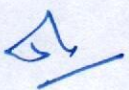
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steps to provide irrigation facilities to the remote areas of the constituency where gravity-fed water is available, to promote agricultural activities.

Reply

There is existing 16 no. Irrigation Khuls which are providing Irrigation facility in the said constituency. The details are enclosed as **Annexure – A**.

Further, un-irrigated areas which is not covered by any irrigation scheme are being identified. Thereafter, techno-economic viability shall be ascertained and accordingly DPRs shall be framed.



STATUS OF VARIOUS IRRIGATION SCHEMES IN UDHAMPUR WEST ASSEMBLY
CONSTITUENCY

S. No	Name of Division	District	Name of Irrigation schemes in Udhampur west assembly constituency	Status		Measures taken to restore or replace non-functional schemes.
				functional	Non-functional	
IRRIGATION SECTOR						
1	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	Soarp Khul (Right)	functional	--	--
2	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	Pangara Jagir	partially functional	--	Scheme under PMKSY (65 Bunch) is partially functional. The length of khul is 1800 mtrs out of which 1300 mtr Khul is executed, balance length i.e 500 mtr will be made functional after receiving funds.
3	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	Jamwal Hartyan Khul	Functional	--	--
4	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	Panjar Karairi Khul	Functional	--	--
5	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	Lalli-1st Khul	partially functional	--	Scheme under PMKSY (65 Bunch) is partially functional. The length of khul is 2200 mtr out of which 1400 mtrsKhul is executed rest of 800 mtr, will be made functional after receiving funds.
6	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	Lalli-2nd Khul	Functional	--	
7	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	Shower LalliKhul	Functional	--	
8	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	Dabber to Longer Khul	Functional	--	
9	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	IRRSS2022100175- Improvement of Moungrri Khul RD 0-1500 mtrs	Functional	--	--
10	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	IRRSS2324100373 Imp/Renovation of Latyar Right Khul RD 0-1200 mtr	Functional	--	--
11	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	IRRSS2324100379 Imp. Of Nalli Nikka Khul RD 0-2500 mtrs	In progress	--	--
12	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	IRRSS2324100390 Constt. Of Narore Khul	Functional	--	--
13	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	IRRSS2324100399 Const. of Arogh Khul RD 0-842 mtrs	In progress	--	--
14	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	IRRSS2324100401 Const. of Malaal Khul R/s RD 0-720 mtr& L/S 0-65mtrs	In progress	--	--
15	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	IRRSS2324100402 Constt. Of Narsa Khul RD 0-750 mtrs	In progress	--	--
16	Irrigation division udhampur	Udhampur	IRRSS2324100372 Imp/ Renovation of Jalsoo Khul Rd 0-600 mtr.	Functional	--	--

IX. Mir Mohammad Fayaz, Hon'ble MLA, move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs. 100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the waterfront projects proposed by the Irrigation & Flood Control Department at Goos, Kupwara and the District Development Commissioner's Office, Kupwara, and the reasons for not taking-up the said projects for execution and timeline for their implementation.

Reply

The basic proposal for construction of water front involves making of a weir structure across Kehmil Nallah at Goos near D.C. Office Kupwara. The hydraulic design of the project is under examination and there are certain challenges with regard to its execution especially possible siltation upstream after weir construction. Besides due to steep gradient of the nallah, the structure may not with stand the hydro dynamic force due to fast flowing water rendering the design uneconomical. Besides such a structure across this flashy nallah may induce thrust on the nallah Banks and cause erosion thereby inflicting damage to the adjoining property. The proposals needs to be carefully examined before it is implemented on ground.

2. I move a cut of Rs/-100 in demand No 22 in order to discuss the Major Irrigation & Flood control projects under consideration in Kupwara Constituency.

Reply

Flood Control projects are at conceptual stage on Lolab, Hyhama, Kalaroos, Pohru and Kehmil Nallah at various spots. However, the cost is yet to be firmed up and there is no source of funding identified as yet. No specific major irrigation project has been conceived as CCA does not add up to more than 10000 Hectare under one project which is a mandatory requirement to categorize a project as major Irrigation Project (as per CWC Guidelines).

3. I move a cut of 100 in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the lack of Irrigation facilities in several villages such as Mughalpura Hatmulla, Gund Gushi and Tikker of Kupwara Constituency, particularly during the peak agricultural season and the need for providing of Lift Irrigation Schemes in these areas to overcome the hardships being faced by the local farmers.

Reply

During the peak irrigation season there is deficit in the tail end areas of irrigation schemes. The main reason being prolonged dry spell witnessed during last two years in the peak irrigation season. Efforts are being made by the Department to ensure that farmers get their share of water on rotation through warabandi.

Mughalpura, Hatmullah, and Gund Gushi villages do not ordinarily experience any shortage of irrigation supply during the irrigation season, as they are situated at the head reach of the Nagerwari Canal, with its headworks located at Gushi. Although the canal discharge may marginally reduce during the peak agricultural season, the available flow generally remains sufficient to meet the irrigation requirements of these villages.

Village Tikker is being fed from Tikkerwari Canal which takes off from Hyhama Nallah. The said village falls at the tail end of the scheme and therefore at times faces intermittent shortages in irrigation supply. Notwithstanding above, on the insistence of Hon'ble MLA Kupwara preliminary recci was done to explore the possibility of having Lift Irrigation Scheme for village Tikker, however the said scheme has not been found feasible due to lack of sustainable source being non-perennial ravine Nallah.

4. I move a cut of 100 in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the need for construction of flood protection works alongside the Nalla Kalaroos, covering areas including Khumeriyal, Shumeriyal, Bohipora, Mughalpora and Hyhama. In view of heavy damages caused due to recent floods.

Reply

Currently there is no proposal for construction of flood protection works in these areas on a large scale.

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X. Mr. Satish Kumar Sharma, Hon'ble MLA to Move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs 100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the urgent need for establishment of Lift Irrigation stations at Seri Mooni in Billawar Constituency.

Reply

It is submitted that the Seri Mooni Canal was functioning as a gravity canal in the past and was adequately serving the irrigation needs of the area. However, during the current year, due to heavy flood occurrence, substantial damage has been caused to the canal. A major portion of the canal alignment passes through hilly terrain, and several stretches have sunk and been washed away.

At present, a comprehensive Detailed Project Report (DPR) for establishment of a Lift Irrigation Scheme at Seri Mooni Canal has been prepared with estimated cost of Rs. 836.18 lacs and source of funding is being explored.

2. I move a cut of Rs 100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the desirability for establishment of Water Lift station for irrigation canal starting from Ujh river to Barota via Dhamni and GurhaKalyal and its restoration.

Reply

Government of India has declared the Ujh Multipurpose Project as National Project and a comprehensive DPR has been framed by CWC and submitted to GoI for approval. It is proposed in the DPR that the agriculture land above the submergence area shall be provided with the dependable irrigation facility by way of construction of lift irrigation schemes. As such, the work of "Construction of Lift Irrigation Schemes for providing water to 21 no. villages in Billawar from the Pondage of the proposed Ujh Multipurpose Project at Billawar" amounting Rs. 21278.44 lakhs has been kept in the DPR. It is pertinent to mention that the area under the villages namely Barota and GurhaKalyal has been proposed under the scope of this work and shall be taken up after the approval of the project by GoI.

3. I move a cut of Rs 100/- in Demand No.22 in order to discuss the restoration/revival of Irrigation canal from Tilla Billawar to Phinter culminating at Bhinni river.

Reply

The irrigation canal from Billawar - Tilla to Phinter known as the Naj Canal that originates from Bhini River is operational and it irrigates command area under Billawar Town, Dewal, Tilla and Dher villages. The cumulative length of Main Canal, Distributory D-1 and Minor of Naj canal is 16.30 km. The canal has suffered deterioration at certain reaches due to continuous use and vulnerability to sliding zones. At present canal require renovation and repair, however, the farmers are getting sufficient supply of water for agricultural purpose, as every year the department executes the repair works at critical spots under UT Capex and District Capex Budget. Further, in previous financial year 2024-2025, an expenditure of Rs 1.98 Lacs was incurred under District Capex Budget for repair and renovation and in this financial year 2025-26, the repair work amounting to Rs 2.96 lacs is in progress.

4. I move a cut of Rs. 100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the **urgent need for construction of an Irrigation canal from Ujh to Ramkot (Amuwala) to boost agricultural productivity and strengthen the rural economy.**

Reply

As regards providing irrigation facilities to Ramkot, it is submitted that there is a cumulative CCA of 300ha under Ramkot which is presently being irrigated through 06 no. khuls namely Srey-I, Srey-II, Amuwala, Beril, Gulgada and Mudhal Khul. As far as construction of irrigation canal from Ujh river to Ramkot, it is intimated that Ramkot is located at an approximate aerial distance of 10 kms from Ujh river and is a part of Basantar river basin which is predominantly hilly. In order to carry the water for irrigation from Ujh river to Ramkot, tunnels would be required, which would make such a project unviable.



XI. Sheikh Khursheed, Hon'ble MLA, to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rupees 100 in Demand No.22 in order to discuss the need for development of Doribal Sar in Langate constituency being an vital eco-tourism destination and despite its potential to promote tourism and irrigate thousands of kanals of agricultural land.

Reply

Improvement of Doribal Sar for improving its storage capacity is under examination for its utility in respect of irrigation purpose. At this juncture no plans, financial provisions and timelines for its development can be committed unless the techno economic viability along with Benefit cost ratio based on reliable data adequate surveys and investigations is done for arriving at a decision for making investment

2. I move a cut of Rupees 100 in Demand No.22 in order to discuss the need for restoration of vulnerable hotspots of Nallah Mawer by way of constructing the crate bunds, removal of shoal deposition, dredging and river-channel management, to prevent floods and safeguard adjoining habitations and agricultural land.

Reply

To identify and list down the vulnerable hotspots a formal safety audit of Mawar nallah has been initiated interalia among other tributaries of River Jhelum. Based upon the outcome of such audit studies further course of action shall be taken. Some of the vulnerable spots are being addressed under M&R and UT CAPEX budgetary provisions. The matter for shoal deposition has been taken up with DMO Kupwara at various instances for utilization of the same in key developmental construction works in the area under short term permits under SRO 105 of 2016.

3. I move a cut of Rupees 100 in Demand No.22 in order to discuss the reasons for non-dredging of Nallah Pohru from Pohru to Braripora, resulting in reduced carrying capacity, frequent overflow and damage to crops and infrastructure, indicating also the details of funds sanctioned or proposed for dredging and flood mitigation works in the said stretch.

Reply

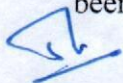
The Pohru Nallah flows from Braripora to Pohru with an adequate channel depth. However, further deepening may lead to sloughing of the embankments. At certain low-lying stretches, chances of overtopping remain high during high discharge events. As a short-term measure, overtopping is prevented by laying of E.C bags during flood situations. The long-term measures for strengthening and raising of existing embankments shall be worked out in due course of time along with identification of appropriate funding source.

Desilting/dredging of rivers, nallahs is a temporary measure whose benefits are gradually lost over a period of time and therefore before taking any such initiative, this needs to be carefully examined based upon proper mathematical studies.

4. I move a cut of Rupees 100 in Demand No.22 in order to discuss the details of the assessment conducted by the Department regarding the requirement of RCC flumes at identified locations in Qaziabad and Mawer areas of Langate constituency, and to ascertain reasons for delay in execution, leading to leakage, water loss and disruption of irrigation supply.

Reply

Most of the identified works of RCC flumes at the concerned locations have substantially been completed. However, certain works were temporarily suspended due to sub-zero



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temperatures and adverse weather conditions prevailing in the area. The remaining works shall be resumed and completed shortly.

5. I move a cut of Rs.100 in Demand No.22 in order to discuss the urgent need for proper desilting of canals prior to the commencement of the irrigation season and also the measures taken for removal of bottlenecks in various kuls in Langate constituency for smooth flow of water to boost agricultural productivity.

Reply

The Department is committed to ensure that adequate irrigation supplies through existing irrigation network is provided to the farming community of Langate constituency. The critically silted spots which obstruct the flow in major canals shall be cleared through stage contracts which are invariably kept in place every year w.e.f 1st April to deal with any crises during irrigation season. Moreover, the desilting requirements for small khuls minors and sub minors are being identified for taking up these under convergence with RDD under MGNREGA as per the practice being followed every year.



XII. Mr. Kuldeep Raj Dubey, Hon'ble MLA to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the inadequate budgetary provision for new irrigation schemes and restoration of existing infrastructure in the agriculture-dependent areas of Sawalkote, Khanikote, Bhallar, Saloon, Dhanoa, Pouni and Ransoo of Reasi-57 Assembly Constituency..

Reply

A large chunk of population of the areas namely Sawalkote, Khanikote, Bhallar, Saloon, Dhanoa, Pouni and Ransoo of Reasi-57 Assembly Constituency depends upon agriculture for their livelihood. Accordingly, restoration and improvement works are taken up by the department to provide uninterrupted irrigation water to the farmers.

For irrigation facility in Ransoo area, the work for Strengthening/Improvement of Ransoo Khul has been taken up during 2025-26 under UT CAPEX for an estimated cost of Rs. 45.00 lacs and is under execution.

For irrigation facility in Pouni area, it is submitted that a khul namely Pouni khul is functional and irrigation water is being provided regularly to the farmers of the said area.

Furthermore, to provide irrigation facility in Saloon, Dhanwa, Sawalakote, Khanikote and Bhallar areas, Khuls namely Dhanwa Jerdi Khul, Chountwan Khul, Latti Khul and Hatti Khul have been proposed under District Irrigation Plan.

2. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the inadequate budgetary provision for Flood protection and restoration works in Reasi-57 Assembly Constituency, a highly flood-prone region traversed by River Chenab, Ans Nallah, Pouni Tawi and Several seasonal Khads.

Reply

Jammu region experienced unprecedented heavy rainfall and flash floods during the intervening night of 26th-27th August 2025, thereby causing significant damages to irrigation infrastructure and flood protection works besides erosion of banks of rivers/nallahs.

Since only major damages have been temporarily restored in the irrigation sector by the department utilizing funds under SDRF/UT CAPEX, balance funds/financial assistance required for restoration of all the pending damages, both in irrigation and flood sector, detailed Project Reports are under formulation. The permanent restoration works shall be undertaken and completed by the department in a time bound manner subject to the receipt of funds.



XIII. Mr. Yudhvir Sethi, Hon'ble MLA to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs. 100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the details of staff posted in the department, including their job profiles and sanctioned/working staff strength in Jammu East Constituency.

Reply

The details of staff along with job profile in respect of Constituency Jammu East are given as under:

S. No	Name of the Post	Sanctioned Strength	Existing (In Position)	Vacant	Job Profile
1	Executive Engineer	1	1	0	Head of the Divisional Office. He is the Drawing and Disbursing Officer and is responsible for planning, execution, quality control, financial management and maintenance of assets, and for ensuring compliance with codal rules.
2	Assistant Executive Engineer	4	3	1	In charge of sub-division, responsible for supervision and execution of works, quality control, safety compliance, and preparation of estimates/DPRs and monitoring site progress.
3	Assistant Engineer	5	2	3	Subordinate to AEE, responsible for overall supervision of the sub-division besides assisting AEE in technical matter. He works like Technical Officer to AEE.
4	Junior Engineer	10	5	5	Site in-charge responsible for day-to-day supervision of works, measurements, maintenance of site records, quality checks and safety at site.
5	Work Supervisor	11	4	7	Assists JE/AE/AEE in field supervision, labour management, material handling and execution of works as per instructions.
6	Baildar	1	1	0	The Baildar is a field-level worker. He works under the supervision of JE/AE/WS.

2. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No 22 to discuss the measures taken by the department to prevent floods in future.

Reply

Several structural as well as non-structural measures are being undertaken to avoid flood situations in near future. by way of preventing and mitigating floods in Jammu Province including strengthening of infrastructure, early warning system, the details of which are as follows:

1. **Structural Measures:** The Department is carrying out various Flood Protection works by way of Construction of Earthen Embankments, Spurs, laying of crates as well strengthening of embankments and bunds at vulnerable spots of rivers/nallahs. Pertinently, post 2014 Floods, Jhelum Tawi Flood Recovery Project (JTFRP) is preparing a Detailed Project Report for Flood Mitigation and Comprehensive River Management measures for Tawi River which is at final stage of preparation.
2. **Non-Structural Measures:** These include:
 - a) Regular monitoring of water levels in major rivers and Nallahs of Jammu province during Flood Season. Automatic Water Level Recorders (AWLR) have also been installed on rivers Ujh, Tawi and Chenab for unattended, long-term monitoring of water levels in these rivers. AWLRs help predict and alert authorities about potential flooding, enabling timely evacuations and mitigation measures.

- b) Establishment of 24/7 Flood Control Rooms to share real-time Gauge-Discharge data with Administrative Department as well as District Administration.
- c) Stage contracts are also allotted well before the onset of monsoon season in order to undertake emergent nature of works during the flood season.
- d) Flood preparedness exercise in co-ordination with SDRF from time to time.

Besides, DPRs are being prepared on permanent restoration of damages, caused by floods of August 2025.

3. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No 22 to in order to discuss the need for filling up of all the vacant posts in the department.

Reply

In order to fill the vacant posts in Jal Shakti Department, the department had already referred 687 non-gazetted vacancies under various categories to J&K Services Selection Board where selection is awaited. Besides, 335 fresh non-gazetted vacancies shall be referred to J&K Services Selection Board very shortly.

4. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No 22 in order to discuss the functioning of the department.

Reply

Functioning of the Department:

Irrigation & Flood Control Department Jammu is functioning and committed for the welfare of public of Jammu & Kashmir

The Department is entrusted with the tasks:

- a) To provide irrigation water to the farmers for agricultural activity.
- b) To maintain existing irrigation infrastructure.
- c) To create more irrigation potential by conceiving and executing new irrigation projects and increasing the water conveyance efficiency/farm efficiency.
- d) To implement flood mitigation measures in order to minimize the damages due to floods.

The Department undertakes Annual Desilting of Canals during Closure of Canal Network in January-March, carries out regular maintenance and strengthening of Irrigation Canals/Khuls to ensure water availability in the tail reaches of Canal Network

Besides this, regular inspections of Flood Protection Works along Rivers and Nallahs as well as Irrigation Canal Network are being carried out to detect any breaches/weaknesses for restoration.



XIV. Mr. Waheed Ur Rehman Parra, Hon'ble MLA, to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 to discuss recurring horticultural losses in Koil, Payar, Tahab, Babgam, Banderpora, Gulzarpora, Lajura, Malangpora, Puchal and adjoining villages due to the failure of the open canal system from Padgampora Ist Phase to Malangpora 2nd Phase and whether any DPR, budget allocation and pipeline upgradation plan exists. Further, the reasons of neglecting the 1971 canals Gulzarpora Minor, Hard Kol, Goripora, Banderpora, Tokuna Allies and Dhobi Kol renovation status, surveys, tenders and timelines.

Reply

Koil Lift Irrigation Scheme, a medium irrigation scheme and also a three-lift irrigation scheme with River Jhelum as source. As per the original design of the scheme the command to be catered between stage 1st is nil. The command which is to be catered by the scheme starts from 2nd stage onwards. The Koil lift irrigation scheme was constructed the year in 1989. The canal system is definitely older one and seepages have been reported which are being addressed as per the necessity on ground mainly under maintenance grants. Any further requirement to improve the convenience efficiency of the canal system shall be examined. Notwithstanding above the open channel has convenience efficiency in the range of 60 to 70% due to evapotranspiration losses which cannot be omitted. As apart of External Renovation and Modernization (ERM) of the scheme One VT pump of 25 cusec capacity in 3rd stage was installed during the year 2025. Besides electrical gadgets are also been upgraded at acost of Rs. 44.20 Lacs.

The neglect of Gulzarpora minor, Hard Kol, Goripora, Banderpora and Tokina LIS is not factually correct. During the last two years, an amount of Rs. 11.42 lacs under M&R and Rs. 11.90 lacs under District CAPEX have been spent on upkeep, renovation and maintenance of these schemes. In addition, a drought pump of 20 cusecs has already been installed and operated successfully in the year 2025, feeding Gulzarpora minor. Further LIS Banderpora with two number Horizontal pumps of 10 cusecs capacity and two number vertical pumps of 10 cusecs each are installed to meet the demand. Moreover, in LIS Tokina 20 cusec pump was installed in 2025 and the same has successfully catered to the irrigation demand during peak season. Moreover, this office has been undertaking minor repair works/ desilting etc. on these khuls/ canals on yearly basis through M&R/ District Capex/ Stage contracts etc. Any further requirement shall also be got examined.

Beautification of Dhobi Kol Phase 1st approved under District Capex to the tune of Rs. 60.00 Lacs by way of jacketing, bed treatment, removal of unhygienic material in the years 2023-24 & 2024-25. Moreover, under UDS desilting works downstream upto Khar Kadal stands also completed with an approximate cost of 45 lacs. Moreover, another project "Beautification of Dhobi Kol Phase 2nd stands already submitted to district administration Pulwama for an amount of Rs. 55.00 Lacs in the year 2025 wherein source of funding is being explored.

2. I move a cut of Rs. 100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the present status of the Gulzarpora Drought Pump included in the UT Capex Ceiling FY 2025-26, indicating whether the administrative approval, technical sanction, and tendering process , and reasons for delay. Further, what concrete steps have been taken to provide drought pumps for Hariparigam, Barsoo, Inder, Chersoo, and Gulzarpora, with timelines, fund allocation, and current operational status.

Reply

There is no such requirement to install drought pump at Gulzapora minor because adequate irrigation supplies are being catered through already installed 20 cusecs drought pump at Beighpora Tokina installed in the year 2025 which provides irrigation facilities to the villages of Beighpora, Gulzarpora and Lassipora. Therefore, no delay can be attributed.



Last year on the night of 16-17 June 2025, the Awantipora Canal which carries 250 cusecs in usual course, suffered a major breach near Village Waghama, threatening nearly 2000 hectares of paddy land during peak demand. Through round-the-clock efforts, I&FC Department, Kashmir restored water supply within four days by creating a canal detour and carrying out temporary restoration works. The spot has been permanently restored at a cost of Rs. 35.50 Lacs under DDC grants. There is no requirement of keeping drought pumps to address any breach contingencies rather the department will have to act the breach spot swiftly if at all such exigency required as was practically demonstrated last year. Awantipora Canal traverses the contour hill alignment in its 1st 10 Kms where chances of breach are relatively higher but the stage contracts as per the SOP are the main part of the overall contingency plan to address any such issue.

The requirement of drought pump at Hariparigam and Barsoo is under examination. Two drought pumps at Chersoo Banpora and Chersoo Darwal are already functional. LIS Barsoo is already functional, however replacement if worn out parts of the machinery shall be done on priority. There is no requirement of drought pump at Gulzarpora as 20 cusecs drought pump installed at Beighpora is catering to the requirements.

3. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the need to prioritize flood protection and canal safeguards in vulnerable areas, reasons of non-allocation of funds for construction of Flood Protection Bunds on Sasa Ara, Lar Canal, Jhelum, Watalnard Kol, and other flood-prone spots despite recurring risk and the concrete measures undertaken to restore and strengthen the Awantipora Canal alongwith the reasons of non-execution of proposed diversion of Sasa Ara towards the Chatripora despite repeated public demand and evident necessity.?

Reply

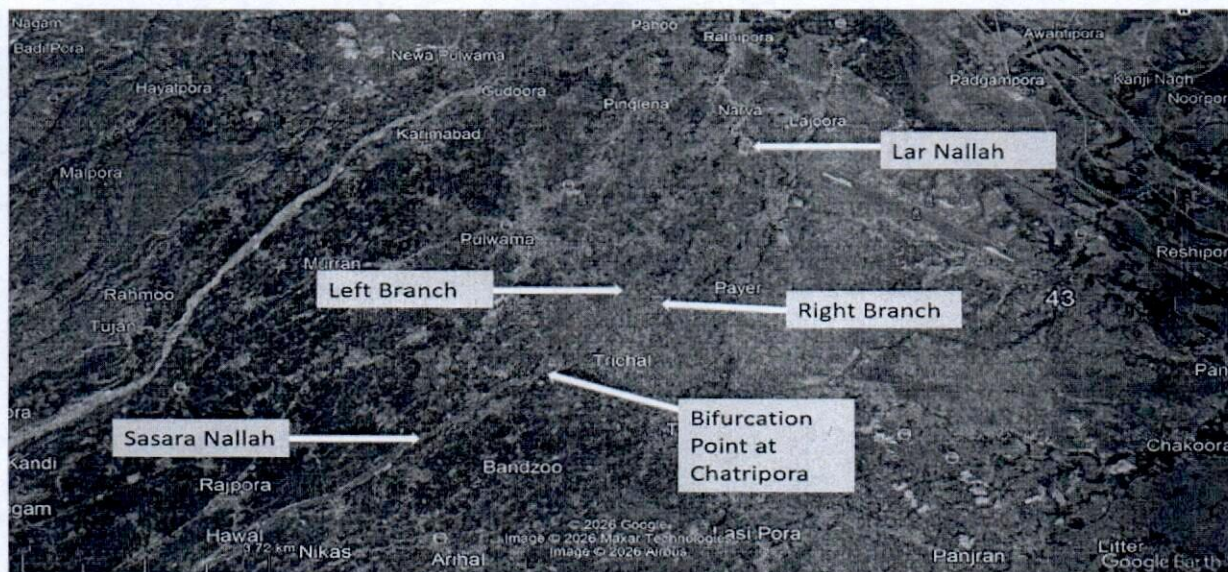
The fact that no funds have been allocated for flood protection works for Sasa Ara, Lar Canal, Jhelum, Watalnard Kol etc. is not correct, the investment made on main river its tributaries and other drainage channels is tabulated as under:

Amount in Lacs							
S No.	Project Head	River/Nallah/Khul/Canal	No of work	Approved Allocation For 2025-26	Funds released 2025-26	Expdt. during the year 2025-26	Physical Progress
1	4711-UT CAPEX (Projects)	Romshi nallah, Khrew nallah Watal Ara, Sasara nallah, River Jhelum, Damhal nallah	7	164.48	139.81	120.23	73%
2	4711-UT CAPEX (Safety Audit Works)	Safety Audit Works on River Jhelum	13	1521.87	31.05	0.00	15%
3	4711- UT CAPEX (Restoration of breaches)	River Jhelum at Marwal & Zoonipora	2	186.16	158.24	118.18	1. Zoonipora 100% 2. Marwel 80%
4	SASCI-I	1.Rambiara nallah 2. Sasara nallah 3. Aripal Nallah	1	250.00	250.00	94.00	75%
5	PMDP Phase-II	1. River Jhelum	2	4270.00	0.00	0.00	85%
6	PMDP Phase-II	Tributaries of River Jhelum. Romshi Nallah, Sasara Nalla, Aripal Nalla, Watal Ara Nalla, Rambiara Nalla	1	1244.90	0.00	0.00	99%
7	NABARD	Romshi Nallah	1	1361.20	313.39	188.43	45%
8	DMRRR (Pulwama)	River Jhelum, Sasara nallah, Watalara nallah	36	370.77	174.38	103.10	60%
9	2711- M&R	River Jhelum, Aripal Nallah, Sasara nallah, Romshi nallah	32	85.00	82.04	47.89	85%
Total			95	9454.38	1148.91	671.83	

To strengthen the lone breached spot on Awantipora canal, the same has been permanently restored at a cost of Rs. 35.50 Lacs under DDC grants. Regular patrolling also been undertaken to ensure that this vital canal remains functional for which the department is committed.

Sasara nallah originates from Nagbal Keller (District Shopian) and reaches the village Chatripora (RD 19.70Km) in District Pulwama. At Chatripora, Sasara nallah splits into two branches:-

- Main branch (left branch having length = 9 Kms) which passes through Chatripora, Rangmulla, Machpuna, Tengpuna, Talangam and d/s Koil.
 - Right branch (having length = 10Kms) passes through villages Trichal, Tenghar, Koil.
- Both these branches combine again d/s Koil and are known by the name of Lar nallah.



At village Chatripora during the devastating floods of 2014, the nallah meandered and shifted its main course towards right branch and leading to further scouring and bed degradation and thus transforming into main active channel of the nallah. Gradually over a period of time the bed in the main branch has aggregated thereby restricting the flow in the main branch. Despite efforts to revive the main nallah channel in coordination with District Administration Pulwama, the results have not been achieved owing to the reason that resident of Chatripora, Rangmulla, Machpuna, Tengpuna are not allowing the department to divert and distribute the flow among the two branches. This has remained the concern and shall be concluded in a time bound manner.

4. I move a cut of Rs. 100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the status of the Koil Lift Irrigation Scheme (LIS) included in the UT Capex Ceiling for FY 2025-26. Whether administrative approval, technical sanction, and tendering have been completed and the present stage of execution indictaing also the reasons for substantial reduction of funds under Object Head M&R 2700, 2701, and 2702 in the Irrigation & Flood Control Department.

Reply

Koil Lift Irrigation Scheme has been not been included in UT CAPEX for financial year 2025-26.

I&FC Kashmir is not operating M&R Head 2700 as there is no major irrigation scheme (CCA >10000 Ha). The object head details in respect of medium and minor irrigation schemes for last three years is given as under:

S No.	Unit Appropriation of	2023-2024		2024-2025		2025 -2026	
		Allocation	Expenditure	Allocation	Expenditure	Allocation	Exptd. upto 01/2026
1	MH: 2701	475.000	309.543	500.000	483.208	441.540	219.980
2	MH: 2702	855.000	579.280	900.000	896.238	810.000	441.128
Total		1330	888.823	1400	1379.446	1251.54	661.108

There is no substantial reduction in the funds granted under these heads. The M&R requirements are being met adequately from the funds allocated.

5. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the issue of borewells stayed by Ground Water Works authorities on account of NOC requirements and the steps being taken to remove procedural inconsistencies, rationalize costs, and ensure timely, transparent approvals in genuine cases.

Reply

NOCs are required for all types of drillings for ground water as per JKWRRRA Act 2010, JKWRRRA Rules 2011 and other relevant guidelines issued from time to time.

Also Jal Shakti Department vide communication No. CEPHEK-ADM/7/2025-XenGWDSgr-CE (7691441) dated 09-02-2026; has streamlined the process of obtaining the NOC required by other departments to construct bore-wells.

It is clarified that the cost of bore wells executed through the Ground Water Division (₹2.5 lakh for depth of 45m) is based on scientifically determined technical parameters, including a minimum depth of 40-45 meters (which may vary depending upon the depth of the bore well) to tap sustainable aquifer zones, use of high-capacity air rotary rigs with ODEX/DTH attachments as per IS 2800, MS casing as per IS 4270:2001, mandatory well development, and explicit contractor accountability through "No Water, No payment" clauses.



XV. Ms. Devyani Rana, Hon'ble MLA to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the inordinate delay in undertaking protection works on Kangrail Nallah in Block Bhalwal of Nagrota Assembly constituency where extensive flooding occurred due to incessant rains despite the submission of the Detailed Project Report (DPR), and also the reasons for such delay along with a definite timeline for execution of the said works.

Reply

To undertake protection work on Kangrail Nallah in Block Bhalwal, a Detailed Project Report titled "*Construction of Protection work on both Banks of Local Nallah u/s of MRC Aqueduct in Kangrail village in Bhalwal Block*" with an estimated cost of Rs. 250 lacs, has been prepared for which the source of funding is being explored.

2. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the need for undertaking a comprehensive flood control and irrigation review, mapping and forward looking construction planning for Nagrota constituency to prevent future flooding due to mismanagement and/or lack of planned projects.

Reply

Jammu province experienced unprecedented floods during Aug 2025 causing damages to both irrigation and flood protection structures.

A comprehensive flood preparedness and early warning mechanism across flood-prone areas of Jammu and Kashmir is essential to mitigate and minimize flood risks.

Several structural as well as non-structural measures are being undertaken for flood preparedness to prevent and mitigate flash floods in Nagrota Constituency including strengthening of infrastructure and early warning system.

In order to further prevent future flooding in Nagrota constituency, a detailed survey was carried out of all the affected areas and subsequently a DPR titled "*Construction of Flood Protection works in different panchayats of Nagrota Block*" amounting to Rs. 248 lakhs has been prepared for which the source of funding is being explored.

3. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the situation arising in the aftermath of floods in Kattalbatal Panchayat, where irrigation kulls and local nallahs have suffered heavy damages and the steps taken to prevent further damages in the future.

Reply

Jammu region experienced heavy floods due to unprecedented heavy rainfall during Aug 2025, causing damages to the existing flood protection works besides breaches & erosion of river/nallah banks.

In order to prevent further losses and to protect the banks of nallahs/rivers from future floods, a DPR has been prepared for the following work:

"Construction of protection work in different panchayats at village Bamyal, Gundalay, Marh-Darabi, Shibba, Panjgrain, Seri-kalan, Dhumani, Dhokwazarian, KattalBattal, Nadore, Naryankhoo, khui-pudian, Surinsar, Sagoon, Talayar in Nagrota Block" amounting to Rs. 248 lacs for providing protection works to local nallahs.

"Construction of Earthen bund at kattalbattal on right bank of River Tawi" amounting to Rs. 258 lacs for providing protection works to the bank of river Tawi.

In addition, stairs of pump room building of LIS Kattalbatal also suffered damages during floods. A detailed estimate for the work "*Construction of stair along with side railing at pump room building of LIS Kattal Battal*" amounting to Rs. 1.52 lacs is being included in the DPR under formulation. In all the above cases source of funding is being explored.

4. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the inordinate delay in undertaking flood protection works in village Seohra and Dhan in Panchayat Dhan, which has suffered damages due to incessant rains, and the steps taken/being taken to prevent recurrence and timeline for the same.

Reply

A work titled "*Construction of Flood Protection works in different panchayats of Dansal Block*" amounting to Rs. 240 lacs has been prepared for which the source of funding is being explored.

An amount of 18 lakhs out of the above-mentioned DPR cost of Rs. 240 lacs has been kept for construction of flood protection works in villages Seohra and Dhan in Panchayat Dhan.

5. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the inordinate delay in undertaking flood protection works on the Nallah stretch in Panchayat Jandyal Lower from Ramnagri Temple to Sh Buti Ram Ji House.

Reply

Flood protection works to the Nallah stretch in Panchayat Jandial Lower from Ramnagri Temple to Sh. Buti Ram Ji House is part of the project namely "*Restoration/construction of damaged flood protection work in Ghaink, Nadwal, Amb, Gharota, Kharota, Showa, Grand, Loakhi, Sukha, Trargada, Babasua, Ranjan, Aghore, Jandial, Nathal Nallah and their tributaries*", with an estimated cost of Rs. 328.82 lacs has been prepared for which the source of funding is being explored.

An amount of Rs. 30.47 lacs has been kept for flood protection work in Panchayat Jandyal Lower from Ramnagri Temple to Sh. Buti Ram Ji House. The works shall be taken up after approval and shall be completed in a time bound manner to prevent further loss.

XVI. Mr. Darshan Kumar, Hon'ble MLA to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs. 100/- in Demand No. 22 to discuss the number of ongoing and proposed irrigation projects in Basohli Constituency and the reasons for neglecting several kuls and irrigation channels, despite their irrigation potential, due to lack of proper lining, maintenance, and drainage systems.

Reply

Department is giving due priority to the development, strengthening, and maintenance of irrigation infrastructure in the Basohli Constituency. At present, no irrigation project is ongoing in Basohli Constituency. However, the Department has prepared five (05) irrigation projects under PMKSY (Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana) for the constituency, the details of which are as under:

S.No.	Name of the Project	Estimated Cost (in Lacs)	CCA (Ha)	Villages and people benefitted	Present Status
1	Improvement of Alnoo Khul	180.20	60	1 no. village, 750 souls	The project has been appraised by CWC and process for conducting TAC is under process.
2	Improvement of Dodla Khul	113.48	60	1 no. village, 800 souls	The project has been appraised by CWC and process for conducting TAC is under process.
3	Improvement of Baili Khul	70.54	60	1 no. village, 300 souls	The project has been appraised by CWC and process for conducting TAC is under process.
4	Improvement of Chaui Khul	73.63	40	1 no. village, 170 souls	The project has been appraised by CWC and process for conducting TAC is under process.
5	Improvement of Mandrore Khul	182.73	100	1 no. village, 750 souls	The project has been appraised by CWC and process for conducting TAC is under process.

With regard to the issue of Khuls and irrigation channels lacking proper lining, maintenance, and drainage systems, it is clarified that improvement works are undertaken in a phased manner as per availability of funds. Priority is given to stretches where seepage losses are significant and where intervention is urgently required. Regular maintenance, de-silting, and minor repair works are carried out before and during the irrigation season to ensure smooth water flow.

2. I move a cut of Rs. 100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the functioning of the Flood Control Department and the timeline for releasing of funds for flood-affected areas of Basohli Constituency..

Reply

The Flood Control Department is efficiently executing flood protection works at vulnerable locations under various funding sources, including UT Capex, NABARD, and other centrally sponsored schemes. Regular monitoring is carried out to maintain quality and timely completion.

Overall, the Department remains proactive and committed to mitigating flood risks and protecting life and property.

Further, there is no major requirement for construction of flood protection structures in Basohli Constituency, as the area predominantly falls in the upstream region of Ranjit Sagar Dam. Most of the low-lying areas of the constituency are already under submergence due to the reservoir, thereby minimizing the vulnerability to conventional flood damage.

Further during the floods of August 2025, No major damages to the flood infrastructure have occurred.

3. I move a cut of Rs. 100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the details of compensation provided to land owners who have lost their land during the floods or change in river course and also the status of anti-erosion works along Nallahs and riverbanks, and the measures taken for rainwater harvesting and water storage in upland areas to support irrigation and reduce water scarcity.

Reply

Compensation for land, lost due to floods or change in river course, does not come under the purview of this department.

There is no major requirement for construction of flood protection structures in Basohli Constituency, as the area predominantly falls in the upstream region of Ranjit Sagar Dam. Most of the low-lying areas of the constituency are already under submergence due to the reservoir, thereby minimizing the vulnerability to conventional flood damage. However, the Flood Control Department executes the flood protection works at vulnerable spots as and when required under UT Capex.

At present, there is no proposal with the department to execute rainwater harvesting and water storage structure in upland areas.

4. I move a cut of Rs. 100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the steps being taken to utilize Ranjit Sagar Dam, which is a major potential source for lift Irrigation, for providing irrigation facilities to the agricultural fields of Basohli Constituency.

Reply

Two major Lift Irrigation Schemes, namely **Mandla Lift Irrigation Scheme (LIS)** and **Plahi Lift Irrigation Scheme (LIS)**, were conceived. However, both schemes could not yield the desired results due to practical and technical constraints:

The **Mandla LIS**, approved during 2009–10 at an estimated cost of ₹444.00 lakh (₹229.00 lakh for mechanical works and ₹215.00 lakh for civil works), faced serious operational difficulties due to frequent and high fluctuations in the reservoir water level, which adversely affected the technical viability and reliable operation of the scheme. Up to 31-12-2018, a cumulative expenditure of ₹372.37 lakh had been incurred on civil, mechanical, and allied components. Owing to changed water availability conditions, the scheme became non-functional and technically non-viable for further execution.

Further in order to utilize the water of Ranjit Sagar Dam for irrigation purpose a DPR of LIS **Plahi**, has been framed in 2024 amounting to ₹17,898.53 lakh. However scheme was found to be economically non-viable. as the Benefit–Cost ratio worked out to 0.49:1.

XVIII. Dr. Sunil Bhardwaj, Hon'ble MLA to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the total no. of water canals (khuls) and Irrigation Dak Bunglows constructed, completed and operational in Ramnagar Constituency along with complete budgetary details during the last 10 years.

Reply

There are 22 number of Khuls in the Ramnagar constituency. Out of these 22 khuls 08 are fully functional, 08 are partially functional and 06 are non-functional due to the floods of Aug 2025. A DPR amounting to Rs.266.30 lacs has been prepared for making these khuls functional and its source of funding is being ascertained. The details of the aforementioned Khuls is enclosed as "Annexure-A". Further, no Dakbunglows were constructed in Ramnagar constituency.

The details of complete budgetary release and Expenditure for the last 10 years are given as Annexure- B.

2. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss whether an amount of approximately 3.00 crore, sanctioned for repair and restoration of damaged canals, canal tributaries, and other minor works in Nowshera Division including Kalakote and Sunderbani Sub divisions, has been diverted for the construction of an Irrigation Dak Bungalow at Rajal? If so, what were the reasons for such diversion?

Reply

11 new works having estimated cost of Rs. 375.30 lacs were approved for the year 2025-26 which also includes the work namely "Construction of Irrigation Guest House/DakBungalow at Rajal" amounting to Rs. 145 lacs. However, there is no such diversion of funds, amounting to approximately Rs. 3.00 crore sanctioned for canal repairs in Nowshera Division towards construction of Irrigation Dak Bungalow at Rajal.

3. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the present status of the Rajal Gravity Canal, which has been pending for a long period? Whether the Government has any concrete plan, along with timelines and financial outlay, to take up the balance works and complete this project.

Reply

- a) Rajal Gravity Canal is incomplete as major components viz. head works and two major aqueducts are yet to be constructed. A Detailed Project Report (DPR) for construction of the balance works is under formulation.
- b) A total payment of Rs. 5.03 crore has been made to PDD for Rajal Lift Irrigation Scheme in last five years, detail of which is as under:

Year	Payment made
2021-22	8180425
2022-23	8330415
2023-24	7295621
2024-25	9802033
2025-26	16752589
Total	5,03,61,083

Annexure-A

LIST OF KHULS FALLING UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF RAMNAGAR CONSTITUENCY

S. No	Name of Khuls	Constituency	Status	Remarks
1	Teli Khul	Ramnagar	Functional	
2	Nallah Mallian Khul	Ramnagar	Non Functional	
3	Malog Jandrore Khul	Ramnagar	Functional	
4	Neeli Khul	Ramnagar	Partially functional	
5	Garhi Khul	Ramnagar	Partially functional	
6	Jogni nallah to Chowki Khul	Ramnagar	Non Functional	
7	PanjgrainKhul	Ramnagar	Partially functional	
8	Nayald to Mohalla Danga Khul	Ramnagar	Non Functional	
9	Narisoo Khul	Ramnagar	Functional	
10	Damak Khul	Ramnagar	Non Functional	
11	Katwalt Khul	Ramnagar	Partially functional	
12	Upper Katwalt Khul	Ramnagar	Functional	
13	Champawali Khul	Ramnagar	Functional	
14	Sheetal puri Khul	Ramnagar	Non Functional	Work tendered
15	Matansoo Khul	Ramnagar	Non Functional	
16	Sattian Khul	Ramnagar	Partially functional	
17	Julera Tagan Khul	Ramnagar	Partially functional	Work in Progress
18	Somfari Khul	Ramnagar	Functional	
19	Dheeran Baryalta Khul	Ramnagar	Functional	
20	Shalsher Khul	Ramnagar	Functional	
21	Thanda Pani Khul	Ramnagar	Partially functional	
22	Baland Khul	Ramnagar	Partially functional	

Abstract : -

Functional = 8 nos			
Non Functional = 6 nos			
Partially Functional = 8 nos			
Out of 22 nos khuls, 08 are fully functional, 08 are partially functional and 06 are non functional. An amount of Rs. 266.30 lacs is proposed under SASCI for making these khuls fully functional			

Annexure –B				
S.No.	Year	Released (In lacs)	Expenditure (in lacs)	Surrender/saving
1.	2015-16	17.07	17.07	0.00
2	2016-17	72.58	49.01	23.57
3	2017-18	160.87	109.41	51.46
4	2018-19	63.37	58.07	5.30
5	2019-20	171.98	71.64	100.34
6	2020-21	100.64	35.79	64.85
7	2021-22	64.55	2.63	61.92
8	2022-23	19.00	14.72	4.28
9	2023-24	275.00	244.69	30.31
10	2024-25	431.48	412.40	19.08
	Total:-	1376.54	1015.43	361.11

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XVIII. Th. Randhir Singh, Hon'ble MLA to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the reasons of delay in executing and maintaining flood protection works in Kalakote-Sunderbani area, resulting in recurring damage to agricultural land and habitations indicating also the details of embankments constructed, repairs undertaken, funds released, and breaches reported during the last five years.

Reply

It is not fact that the department failed in executing and maintaining flood protection works in Kalakote-Sunderbani area. In this context, it is submitted that the department is executing protection works at vulnerable spots under various heads as per the funds allocated to the department.

The detail for the last five years of embankments constructed, repairs undertaken, funds released, breaches repaired in Kalakote-Sunderbani constituency and funds released for the purpose is as under:

Year	Total no. of works taken up	Major head 4711 (Rs in lacs)	
		Fund released	Expenditure
2020-21	00	No work taken up during Covid	
2021-22	01	20.00	6.08
2022-23	01	35.00	26.5
2023-24	02	7.09	7.06
2024-25	02	44.43	30.48

2. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the inadequate desilting of Nallahs, khuls, and drainage channels in Kalakote-Sunderbani leading to waterlogging and crop damage, and also the details of desilting works undertaken, funds spent, length covered for the last five years.

Reply

Regarding desilting, it is submitted that the department does not undertake any desilting of nallahs/drainage channels. Instead, dredging of rivers/nallahs is undertaken by the Geology and Mining Department for which NOC is issued by this department.

The details for the last five years of desilting of khuls, funds spent in Kalakote-Sunderbani constituency is as under:

Year	Major head 2702 (Rs in lacs)		Total no. Of works taken up	Length covered (In Km)
	Fund released	Expenditure		
2020-21	12.50	12.10	08	5.3
2021-22	14.00	13.84	16	8.9
2022-23	19.00	18.66	13	9.1
2023-24	11.00	10.81	18	6.4
2024-25	6.20	5.98	19	5.9

3. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the extensive damage to irrigation and flood control infrastructure in Kalakote-Sunderbani due to recent floods

and inadequate permanent restoration measures, and also the details of damage assessed, funds sanctioned, restoration works taken up, and timelines for completion.

Reply

During recent flood of Aug. 2025, infrastructure of this department has suffered severe damages amounting to Rs. 151.00 lacs including Rs. 70.00 lacs for Kalakote and Sunderbani constituency. The DPR for the restoration of damages, amounting to Rs. 70.00 lacs, for Kalakote and Sunderbani constituency has been prepared and source of funding is being ascertained.

4. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the reasons of delay in completion of irrigation schemes in Kalakote-Sunderbani thereby depriving farmers of assured irrigation facilities indicating the details of schemes sanctioned, estimated cost, funds released, physical progress during the last five years.

Reply

The details for the last five years of schemes sanctioned, estimated cost, funds released, physical progress in Kalakote-Sunderbani constituency is as under:

Year	Major head 2702 (Rs in lacs)			Total no. Of works taken up
	Fund released	Expenditure	Physical Progress	
2020-21	12.50	12.10	Completed	08
2021-22	14.00	13.84	Completed	16
2022-23	19.00	18.66	Completed	13
2023-24	11.00	10.81	Completed	18
2024-25	6.20	5.98	Completed	19
Year	Major head 4702 (Rs in lacs)			Total no. Of works taken up
	Fund released	Expenditure	Physical Progress	
2020-21	7.03	6.563	Completed	04
2021-22	126.00	16.51	Completed	03
2022-23	172.8	96.49	Completed	07
2023-24	89.54	75.65	Completed	03
2024-25	26.49	17.18	Completed	03

5. I move a cut of Rs. 100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss whether an amount of approximately Rs. 3.00 crore, sanctioned for repair and restoration of damaged canals, canal tributaries and minor works in Nowshera Division, including Kalakote and Sunderbani Sub-Divisions, has been diverted for construction of an Irrigation Dak Bungalow at Rajal, and if so, the reasons thereof, whether this diversion has resulted in pending canal repair works, and to seek the present status of the long-pending Rajal Gravity Canal.

Reply

11 new works having estimated cost of Rs. 375.30 lacs were approved for the year 2025-26 which also includes the work namely "Construction of Irrigation Guest House/DakBungalow at Rajal" amounting to Rs. 145 lacs. However, there is no such diversion of funds, amounting to approximately Rs. 3.00crore sanctioned for canal repairs in Nowshera Division towards construction of Irrigation Dak Bungalow at Rajal.

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Status of Rajal Gravity Canal:

- a) Rajal Gravity Canal is incomplete as major components viz. head works and two major aqueducts are yet to be constructed. A Detailed Project Report (DPR) for construction of the balance works is under formulation.
- b) A total payment of Rs. 5.03 crore has been made to PDD for Rajal Lift Irrigation Scheme in last five years, detail of which is as under:

Year	Payment made
2021-22	8180425
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2023-24	7295621
2024-25	9802033
2025-26	16752589
Total	5,03,61,083

The project at the time of submission was proposed to start during the financial year 2003-04 and had to be completed by the end of 03/2008, but was approved for funding in 2007-08. Detail of funds released/expenditure is as under:

S. No.	Funds released upto 2014-15	Expenditure	Remarks
1	1750 lacs	1741 lacs	-

Due to the delay as mentioned above, the cost of basic construction increased, the project was revised to Rs. 2222.00 lacs in the year 2015 taking into account the price escalation of labour and material, but the revision of the project could not be matured and the scheme could not be completed.

The Tentative estimated cost for left out components has been worked out to be Rs. 2320.47 Lacs based on SSR 2022. A detailed project report for the balance works is under formulation.



XIX. Mr. Mohan Lal Bhagat , Hon'ble MLA, to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the need for construction of the Kandi Canal to address the shortage of irrigation water in Kandi villages of Akhnoor Assembly Constituency.

Reply

To meet the shortage of irrigation water in Kandi Villages of Akhnoor Assembly Constituency, a DPR of LIS AMBARAN Kandi Canal on river Chenab in Akhnoor Tehsil was framed by WAPCOS INDIA LIMITED at an estimated cost of Rs 82.82 Crore on SS of Rates of 1992 in the year 2013.

The detail project report has further been revised and framed on SSR 2012 amounting to Rs 323.23 crore and submitted to Director Central Water Commission (Monitoring and Appraisal Directorate) Jammu for appraisal which is still awaited.

2. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the urgent need for river training and embankment works along the River Chenab to prevent erosion and flooding.

Reply

To safeguard both banks of River Chenab, a river training project amounting to Rs. 5,554.70 lakh under NABARD is being executed from Steel Bridge Akhnoor to Hamipur Kona.

A total of 31 works have been proposed under the project, to be implemented in two phases 19 works in Phase I and 12 works in Phase II.

At present, 12 works under Phase I have been completed, while the remaining works are at various stages of completion and tendering.

Upon completion, a significant stretch of River Chenab passing through Akhnoor will be effectively trained, thereby minimizing the risks of erosion and flooding.

3. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the issue of defunct lift irrigation schemes in Akhnoor Assembly Constituency.

Reply

There are 17 lift irrigation schemes in Akhnoor Assembly Constituency, out of which 15 are functional and 2 (LIS Balgara and LIS Ambaran-II) are non-functional/defunct.

LIS Balgara is non-functional due to damages caused to the civil and electro-mechanical components during the floods of 2014.

In order make various LIS schemes functional including LIS Balgara in Akhnoor Assembly Constituency, a DPR amounting to Rs. 111.15 lakhs has been approved under UT Capex with an outlay of Rs. 44.46 lakhs for current financial year.

The restoration works for the said LIS have been taken up by the Department and the scheme shall be made functional soon.

Further, LIS Ambaran-II is non-functional due to incomplete infrastructure viz. Pump Room, Supply Network etc. Further, the revival of this scheme is not feasible as the intake structure/pump room has come under the active flood zone.

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4. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the need for desilting of minor canals and tributaries in Akhnoor Assembly Constituency.

Reply

The annual desilting of the canal network is a mandatory and planned maintenance intervention aimed at restoring the system to its original design specifications. This activity is undertaken during the canal closure period in January–February, when irrigation demand is at its lowest.

The desilting of minor canals in Akhnoor Constituency having a design discharge of less than 5 cusecs is undertaken in convergence mode with the Rural Development Department. The list of such canals requiring desilting has already been forwarded to the Rural Development Department for necessary action.

Further, desilting of canals with a design discharge greater than 5 cusecs is carried out by the I&FC Department, Jammu, for which adequate funds are allocated annually.

5. I move a cut motion of Rs 100 in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the requirement for construction of check dams in Akhnoor Assembly Constituency to conserve water resources.

Reply

Construction of check dams is an effective way to manage water resources particularly the ground water resources and also helps in flood mitigation.

Requirement of check dams and finalizing the location is determined after checking the feasibility which is subject to favourable techno-economical viability.

Presently, two locations have been identified for the construction of check dams at Mawa Brahmana Nallah and Sumah Nallah, but no concrete proposals have been formulated for the same.



XX. Sh. Surinder Kumar, Hon'ble MLA to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the urgent requirement for framing of comprehensive flood protection works along Patyali Chak Khad, which continues to endanger life, agricultural land, and residential habitations due to erosion, channel instability, and recurrent inundation.

Reply

Various nallahs in Marh Block are vulnerable to flooding, particularly during the rainy season, resulting in significant bank damage due to soil erosion.

Flood protection works are undertaken under UT Capex and M&R, as per the approved plan and availability of funds.

During the recent floods in August 2025, substantial damage was caused to the flood protection infrastructure in Marh Block.

In this regard, a comprehensive DPR amounting to Rs. 43.70 crore has been framed for restoration of damages to various nallahs in Marh Block, including Patyali Chak Khad. The source of funding is being explored.

2. I move a cut of Rs. 100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the present status of the River Tawi Artificial Lake Project, including channelization works and the execution of river training measures aimed at regulating flow, preventing bank erosion, and protecting adjoining habitations and agricultural fields, as well as the technical safeguards and long-term flood mitigation strategy adopted in this regard.

Reply

The Tawi Island area lies between Nikki Tawi and Waddi Tawi downstream of the 4th Tawi Bridge at Bhagwati Nagar. The recent unprecedented floods of August-September 2025 caused huge damage to the said area and the same have been proposed in the aforementioned DPR.

Further, to implement river training measures aimed at regulating flow dynamics, preventing bank erosion, and protecting adjoining habitations and agricultural fields, a project titled "**Training of River Tawi from Manwal to Exit at Indo-Pak Border at Spots, Downstream Fourth Bridge to Indo-Pak Border**" has been approved under NABARD (RIDF XXIX) at an estimated cost of ₹5,138.24 lakh and is presently under execution.

The project is proposed to be executed in two phases, comprising 13 works in Phase I and 11 works in Phase II.

At present, 9 works under phase I have been completed and rest of the works in phase I & II are at various stages of completion and tendering.

For long-term flood mitigation, a Detailed Project Report (DPR) titled "Consultancy Services for Preparing Feasibility and Detailed Project Report for Flood Mitigation and Comprehensive River Management Measures for Tawi Basin," prepared by JKERA, is in its

final stages, which outlines a full suite of structural and non-structural measures for flood mitigation in River Tawi.

3. I move a cut of Rs.100/- in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss the extensive damage caused by recent flash floods to the irrigation channels and canal networks, severely disrupting water conveyance systems in agriculture-dependent areas and the steps taken by the department for restoration, desilting, revetment strengthening, and re-establishment of discharge capacity.

Reply

The unprecedented floods during August–September 2025 caused extensive damage to several major irrigation canals in the Jammu region, significantly disrupting irrigation supplies across a large command area. Owing to prompt and coordinated efforts by the department, temporary restoration works were completed expeditiously, enabling the recharge of all affected canals within the shortest possible timeframe and restoring the irrigation supplies to the farming community thereby preventing any loss of standing crops.

The details of recharge of major canals of Jammu province is as under:-

S. No.	Canal	Date of Recharge
1	Main Ranbir Canal (MRC)	26.09.2025
2	Tawi Feeder Channel	02.10.2025
3	Distributary D-9 of MRC	17.10.2025
4	Pargwal Canal	13.10.2025
5	Garkhal Canal	02.10.2025
6	Kathua Canal	25.10.2025

However, for permanent restoration of the major damages, DPRs have been prepared and source of funding is being explored. The restoration works shall be taken up subsequent to the approval of the aforementioned DPR.

The works for revetment strengthening are being undertaken under UT Capex and M&R head as per the approved plan.

Further, the department has been carrying out desilting works annually during the canal closure period in January–February so as restore the canal to its designed capacity and to meet the water demands of the forthcoming crop cycle.



XXI. Aga Syed Muntazir Mehdi, Hon'ble MLA to move the following Cut Motions:-

1. I move a Cut of Rs/-100 in demand No. 22 in order to discuss whether dredging has been undertaken on the River Jhelum and its spill channels; and what steps are being taken to enhance carrying capacity and complete pending works under the Comprehensive Flood Management Plan.

Reply

Under PMDP Phase I "Comprehensive Flood management of River Jhelum" dredging and resectioning work has been undertaken both on River Jhelum as well as Flood Spill Channel with details given as under:-

Details of Dredging and Resectioning carried out under PMDP-Phase I (JK43)			
Phase-I (JK 43)			
S No.	Type of Flood protection work	Quantity Executed	
		Physical	Financial
1	Dredging of River Jhelum in Srinagar and Barmulla Reaches	16.11 Lac Cum	127.05 Cr.
2	Resectioning of Flood Spill Channel at Sharifabad/Naidkhai	14.27 Lac Cum	

Due to this intervention the discharge carrying capacity of River Jhelum in Srinagar reach has been enhanced from 31800 Cusecs to 41000 Cusecs (22%) between Sangam and Padshahibagh in Srinagar. Besides, major Bottlenecks in the FSC were removed at Shariefabad and Naidkhai reach and carrying capacity was doubled from 4000 to 8700 Cusecs at offtake of FSC.

The completion of Phase I has paved the way for Phase II, which aims to further enhance the flood management capabilities in the Jhelum Basin. Phase II has been approved for an estimated cost of Rs. 1,623.43 crores and is currently under execution.

Under the PMDP Phase II (Part A) "Comprehensive Flood Management Plan of River Jhelum and its Tributaries", a total of 31 Bank protection/anti-erosion works worth 276.61 Crores are under execution, out of which 17 No. works have been completed. Besides, 2 No. regulatory Gates in Hokersar wetland also stand completed and commissioned at a cost of Rs 28.45 Crores. The total expenditure made against the project is ₹.160.56 Cr. (CA = 114.293 Cr.+ UT =46.27 Cr.) till date. The 2nd CA installment of Rs 60.4125 Crores has been released by MOJS, DOWR, RD&GR on 22.01.2026.

The funds shall be utilized against already executed works on river Jhelum and its tributaries. Additional funds are expected once expenditure is reported to central government. Completion of these projects will prevent erosion of land from floods and safeguard public property.

The Phase II includes re-sectioning of Flood Spell Channel at an estimated cost of 400 cr approx. However, due to drastic disagreement between the CWPRS model outcomes viz-a-viz the JTFRP consultant predictions, the CWC re-examined the entire issue. In December 2024, it suggested lowering of Sill level at the off take point of Flood Spill Channel by 2 meters and maintain a 1 in 5000 grade right up to Wullar. Due to such lowering, however, it was estimated that it will affect 21 bridges, 39 LIS and 13 Water supply schemes. The PWD (R&B) Department has setup a committee

for protecting/retrofitting these bridges so that they continue to be used for road communication; report of this Committee is awaited. In the meantime, the matter has been reviewed in the Government of India and the CWC has decided that lowering may be adopted at a level which will have manageable impact on the infrastructure. Further, the CWC in respect of Out Fall Channel (OFC) has decided that widening work be kept on hold.

CWPRS while undertaking the Flood routing study for river Jhelum in 2017-18 had concluded that dredging of River Jhelum from Sangam to Asham will not serve the purpose of Flood mitigation. Any such dredging intervention needs to be backed up by the hydraulic model studies before it is undertaken on ground. In the instant case, it was analysed by the CWPRS in their model studies that flood wave will be arriving faster from Sangam to Ram Munshi Bagh and slower travelling further from RMB to Asham, thereby leading to early arrival of flood in Srinagar and also reduction in response time to manage flood situation. Moreover, the bed degradation at Sangam has been observed in the said study due to local sand mining as sufficient sediment deposition has not happened and if dredging/desilting is continued further this may bring the existing structures and banks under stress and ultimately may not serve the flood mitigation purpose.

2. I move a Cut of Rs/-100 in demand No 22 in order to discuss the whether the Government has assessed flood risks in Bemina residential areas, and what measures are being taken to ensure floodwater passage, regular desilting of drains, and removal of encroachments.

Reply

The Bemina area especially Hamdaniya Colony, Khomani Chowk, Kulipora, Wani Mohallah etc are low lying areas which face drainage problems. Increase in levels of water in Narkara numbal also contribute to inundation of Bemina area. I&FC maintains two nallahs viz; Bemina nallah and Maharaji / Cheski nallah to ensure that the flow of water in these nallahs remain unobstructed to ensuresmooth drainage of flood waters from the bemina area.

Bemina Nallah is running through a built-up area where it poses inundation issues during high precipitations. After joining the flood spill channel, a long stretch of tail portion remains affected due to back water action due to high-water level in FSC.

Maharaji nallah is the outfall for Narkara numbal which starts from Gurteng and culminates in Flood spill channel at Bemina. The length of the nallah is 2.55Kms. The nallah helps drain flood water from Narkara numbal and adjoining areas into the flood spill channel.

The following works have been executed for flood mitigation in the Bemina area especially on Bemina nallah during current year and last two years:

S.No.	Programme	Amount spent on Flood Mitigation (in lacs)
01.	PMDP Phase-II	149.17
02.	UT Capex	54.00
03.	District capex	4.07
04.	M&R-2711	31.72
05	DMRRR (UT Capex)	5.02
Total		243.98

During the recent floods in Sept/ 2025 the Bemina nallah and Maharaji nallah carried the flood discharge safely. However, because of meandering, heavy rains and high discharge, erosion of embankments/bunds takes place in Bemina nallah which is inevitable and areas especially

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Hamdaniya Colony and Khomani Chowk remains affected during floods as per the vulnerability for which flood protection works shall be proposed at additional hotspots in phased manner depending upon degree of vulnerability for which source of funding is being ascertained.

Further in order to issue drainage and inundation in the area, dewatering pump stations are installed and further more are proposed by UEED. Desilting of drains falls under the purview of UEED/ULB.

3. I move a cut of Rs. 100 in Demand No. 22 in order to discuss whether the Government has reviewed delays, quality lapses, and contractor non-performance in Irrigation & Flood Control works, and what mechanism exist to ensure time bound completion and accountability, particularly in flood mitigation and irrigation projects.

Reply

The department is ensuring that time, cost and quality control remain the three important pillars for execution of any work. The monitoring by the engineering staff is done at different levels to ensure multi-tier checking of the works. To ensure that no quality lapses occur, regular testing is being done for constituent materials as well as for the finished work to maintain the quality standards as prescribed BIS codes/CPWD specifications and to deter any substandard work on ground. Tests are carried out on cement, aggregates, sand, concrete cubes, reinforcing steel, structural steel, gabions, wire crates and inbuilt provision is kept in tenders and allotments for mandatorily carrying out these tests.

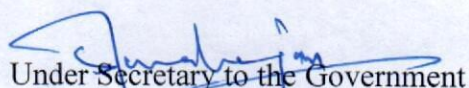
Time is the essence of the contract and therefore delays are monitored and in respect of major works, advance works programs are sought from the executing agencies and the timelines for various activities are monitored and reviewed on regular basis. The delays which happen due to inaction of the contractor in one or the other way, these are dealt under special clause of liquidated damage under the contract. Prior to the finalization of the due payments under any contract, the delays are reviewed and sanction are imposed accordingly which leads to recovery of the amount which can be as high as 5% of the contract value. Accountability and completion of the works is being ensured for which progress in terms of both physical and financial terms is reviewed at the highest level in the hierarchy of the Govt. It is the endeavor of the Govt that the benefit of the various works executed is extended to the general public timely.

4. I move a cut of 100 in Demand No. 22 to discuss whether the Government will compensate the land owners of Dharamuna, Gotipora, Soibugh and other adjoining villages whose land has come under and has been identified as part of Hokersar Wetland in authentication and demarcation.

Reply

The Hokersar wetland is under the jurisdiction of the Forest Department.

Sd/-
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