

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES,
RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION
LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. †*136
ANSWERED ON 26.07.2018

CLEANING OF CHECK DAMS

†*136. SHRI RAM TAHAL CHOUDHARY
SHRI MANSUKHBHAI DHANJIBHAI VASAVA

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT AND GANGA REJUVENATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of functional check dams in the country at present, State-wise;
- (b) whether the said dams are regularly cleaned and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the monitoring mechanism working for regular cleaning of these dams;
- (d) whether it has been detected by the monitoring mechanism that regular cleaning of such dams has not taken place during the last three years and if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the action taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT AND GANGA REJUVENATION

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

- (a) to (e) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF STARRED QUESTION NO. †*136 TO BE ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 26th July, 2018 REGARDING “CLEANING OF CHECK DAMS” ASKED BY SHRI RAM TAHAL CHOUDHARY AND SHRI MANSUKHBHAI DHANJIBHAI VASAVA, M.Ps.

(a) to (e) The information relating to number of check dams, their functionality and their upkeep etc. is kept at the respective State level.

As per information received from M/o Rural Development, 585183 check dams have been built under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) since inception. State/UT- wise details are given at **Annexure**.

ANNEXURE

Annexure referred to in reply to parts (a) to (e) of Starred Q.No. †*136 to be answered in Lok Sabha on 26.07.2018 regarding “Cleaning of Check Dams”

S No.	State	Completed Work Since Inception
1	Andaman and Nicobar	0
2	Andhra Pradesh	14516
3	Arunachal Pradesh	33
4	Assam	399
5	Bihar	5018
6	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	1
7	Daman & Diu	0
8	Goa	0
9	Gujarat	22336
10	Haryana	817
11	Himachal Pradesh	5661
12	Jammu And Kashmir	3028
13	Karnataka	65682
14	Kerala	5635
15	Madhya Pradesh	280400
16	Maharashtra	41216
17	Lakshadweep	1
18	Manipur	206
19	Meghalaya	2666
20	Mizoram	49
21	Nagaland	404
22	Odisha	13060
23	Puducherry	0
24	Punjab	68
25	Rajasthan	26516
26	Sikkim	16
27	Tamil Nadu	5972
28	Tripura	15080
29	Uttar Pradesh	25253
30	West Bengal	8867
31	Chhattisgarh	14030
32	Jharkhand	7316
33	Uttarakhand	6686
34	Telangana	14251
	Total	585183
