

YAMUNA WATER PIPELINE PROJECT

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An MoU has been signed by Haryana and Rajasthan for preparation of Detailed Project Report (DPR) jointly by both the Governments for transfer of Yamuna water from Hathnikund to Churu, Sikar, Jhunjhunu and other Districts of Rajasthan through underground pipelines. As per MoU, the Phase-1 of the proposed project envisages transfer of water through underground pipelines during July to October upto 577 MCM for drinking water supply and other requirements for Churu, Sikar, Jhunjhunu and other Districts of Rajasthan after utilisation of full capacity (24,000 cusec) of Western Yamuna Canal by Haryana including Delhi share at Hathnikund. Both States have formed Task Force for the purpose. Rajasthan has hired a consultant for preparation of DPR.

The information was provided by THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI **SHRI RAJ BHUSHAN CHOUDHARY** in a written reply to a question in Lok Sabha today.

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