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**MINOR IRRIGATION**

No separate scheme are there in Tribal areas

**WATER SUPPLY**

- 1 Clean drinking water has been the highest priority in all national programmes so far. From time to time, the programme has concentrated on drinking water supply to what have been known as "Problem villages". That is to say, those villages which have been having unhygienic water supply sources due to excessive chlorides, fluorides or are located in hilly regions were to be tackled, with reference to your state.
  - (a) Please indicate the total number of Revenue Villages and number of Hamlets in the Scheduled Area giving ITDP/ITDA- wise break up  
No. of Revenue villages in Tribal area - 170  
No. of Hamlets in Tribal area - Nil
  - (b) how many of the total number of villages and hamlets have shared hygienic drinking water supply at present mentioning clearly the basis on which you regard the water supply as satisfactory.  
Nil
  - (c) the number of "problem villages" still remaining to be tackled.  
5 villages in Chowra Island
  - (d) the number of "non-problem villages" for which clean and hygienic water supply needs to be given.  
Nil
  - (e) What steps have been contemplated and what programmes have been drawn up for the Tenth Plan period to ensure clean and hygienic drinking water supply to "problem villages" and "non-problem villages"?  
In the Tenth Plan the programme is to augment 27 Partially Covered villages including 5 problem villages.
- 2 In the category of villages in Scheduled Areas having assured hygienic drinking water supply, what is the source or sources of supply? Is it or are they satisfactory?  
Few springs and rest of the sources are wells. Both Satisfactory