GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF EARTH SCIENCES

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No. **693** TO BE ANSWERED ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 08, 2013

AVERAGE RAINFALL DURING MONSOON

693. SHRI NALIN KUMAR KATEEL:

Will the Minister of **EARTH SCIENCES** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that many States have received average rainfall during this monsoon; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof for the current year monsoon till now, State-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER FOR MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTRY OF EARTH SCIENCES (SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY)

- (a) Yes Madam.
- (b) During the current year monsoon, 13 states have so far received average/normal range(within -19% to +19% of long period average-LPA) of rainfall(mm) as per details given below:

S. No.	State	Actual Rainfall	Normal	Departure
		Received (1 June -	Rainfall	from LPA
		31 July)	(LPA)	
1	Sikkim	806.7	987.9	-18%
2	West Bengal	640.0	714.5	-10%
3	Chandigarh (UT)	434.2	402.4	+08%
4	Delhi	300.2	280.5	+07%
5	Punjab	236.9	230.4	+03%
6	Himachal Pradesh	462.6	400.3	+15%
7	Jammu & Kashmir	283.3	256.5	+10%
8	Odisha	657.7	551.1	+19%
9	Diu(UT)	499.0	449.6	+11%
10	Chattisgarh	665.5	559.0	+19%
11	Tamilnadu	97.3	114.1	-15%
12	Puducherry(UT)	124.6	124.0	0%
13	Lakshadweep (UT)	722.7	617.9	+17%
