

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3586
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.04.2017

PROMOTION OF WIND ENERGY THROUGH NREDCAP

3586. SHRIMATI THOTA SEETHARAMA LAKSHMI:

Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Ministry has taken steps to promote the generation of wind energy through its nodal agency, New and Renewable Energy Development Corporation of Andhra Pradesh Limited (NREDCAP) in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether East Godavari and West Godavari districts have been covered for generation of solar power, if so, by when and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR POWER, COAL, NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND MINES (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) and (b): NREDCAP has been designated as Nodal Agency under Wind Power Policy of the Government of Andhra Pradesh and is responsible for facilitating single window clearance of the wind power projects including coordinating with Union Government agencies.

For promotion of wind energy in the country including Andhra Pradesh, Union Government provides various fiscal and financial incentives directly to the wind power developers.

(c): Yes Sir, As on date 1 MW capacity solar power project in East Godavari district and 11.926 MW capacity solar power projects in West Godavari district have been set-up.
