GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF POWER

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3678 TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.03.2018

UPGRADATION OF COAL OPERATED POWER STATIONS IN NCR

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Will the Minister of **POWER**

be pleased to state:

(a) the numbers of coal operated power stations of National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) operated in National Capital Region;

(b) the quantum of power generated by each power station every day and pollution emitted therefrom;

(c) whether the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change has asked the above coal operated power stations to upgrade themselves to meet the standards prescribed by the Ministry; and

(d) if so, by when the above power stations would be upgraded as per standards prescribed by he Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR POWER AND NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY

(SHRI R.K. SINGH)

(a) & (b): Two plants of NTPC and one plant of NTPC Joint Venture are located in the National Capital Region (NCR). The details of daily average generation of power by each of the power station and the emissions therefrom for year 2017-18 (upto Feb. 2018) are furnished at **Annex.**

(c) & (d): Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC) has notified new environmental norms for Thermal Power Plants on 7^{th} Dec 2015. Subsequently, Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) has issued directions to these plants to upgrade themselves / install systems to meet the new environmental norms as per the timelines given below:

| Plants | PM Emission | SOx Emission | NOx Emission | | |
|-----------------------------|---|------------------------|--|--|--|
| | Upgradation of Electrostatic Precipitator | Installation of FGD | Installation of low NOx burners, providing Over Fire Air (OFA) system | | |
| Dadri Thermal Power Station | Immediate | 31.12.2019 in | By 2019 | | |
| NCTPS | | U-1 to 6 | | | |
| Indira Gandhi TPP, Aravalli | U-1,2,3-by | By 31.12.2019 in | By 2019 | | |
| Power Corporation | 31.12.2019 | U-1,2,3 | | | |
| Badarpur Thermal Power | To be retired in June 2018 | | | | |
| Station | | | | | |

ANNEX REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3678 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE RAJYA SABHA ON 27.03.2018.

Actual (range) emissions and average daily generation of NTPC plants in National Capital Region (NCR) for Financial Year 2017-18 (upto Feb. 2018)

| Station | Capacity in MW | SPM (mg/Nm ³) | SOx (mg/Nm ³) | NOx (mg/Nm ³) | Average Daily Generation for 2017-18 (till Feb.'18) (MUs) |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| Dadri (for 210 MW Units) | 1820 | 100 | 500-800 | 350-455 | 27.30 |
| Dadri (for 490 MW Units) | | 50 | 500-800 | 320-460 | 27.30 |
| Badarpur (for 210 MW Units) | 705 | 50 | 600-800 | 250-350 | 4.66 |
| Jhajjar (for 500 MW Units) | 1500 | 40 | 800-1200 | 252-537 | 21.15 |
