

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 138
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.12.2018

**HARVESTING OF ROOF-TOP SOLAR ENERGY POTENTIAL AS PER THE
TARGET SET**

138. SHRI SAMBHAJI CHHATRAPATI

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

- (a) whether Government has estimated to harvest 40 GW power from roof-top solar projects by 2021 and put in place any scheme for lease of roof-top by the owners of the buildings taking care of their interest too, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether doubts have been raised on the viability of achievement of the target; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and how Government intends to tackle such issues?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND POWER (I/C)
(SHRI R. K. SINGH)

(a) The Government has set a target of installing 40 GW of grid connected rooftop solar capacity in the country by year 2022.

In the present scheme for rooftop solar plants, lease model is permitted, wherein any enterprise can take a roof on lease and set-up rooftop solar power plant.

(b) and (c) No Sir.
