

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF POWER

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2232**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.01.2019

**ELECTRIFICATION UNDER SAUBHAGYA**

**2232. SHRI DEREK O'BRIEN:**

Will the Minister of **POWER**  
be pleased to state:

- (a) whether over 30 per cent of households targeted for electrification under Pradhan Mantri Sahaj Bijli Har Ghar Yojana (SAUBHAGYA) are still without electricity as on date;
- (b) the number of households targeted for electrification and households successfully electrified under SAUBHAGYA since its inception, year- wise and State-wise;
- (c) the number of households connected to the grid and receiving uninterrupted power under SAUBHAGYA since its inception; and
- (d) whether there is any provision for validation of data regarding the number of households in a village?

**A N S W E R**

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

( SHRI R.K. SINGH )

**(a) to (c):** Government of India launched Pradhan Mantri Sahaj Bijli Har Ghar Yojana-“ Saubhagya” with the objective to achieve universal household electrification by providing electricity connections to all households in rural and all poor households in urban areas by March, 2019

As reported by the States, 2.31 crore un-electrified household had been electrified as on 26.12.2018, since launch of the Saubhagya scheme on October, 11, 2017, and remaining un-electrified households are aimed for electrification by 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2019. State-wise and year-wise details are given at **Annexure**. Providing uninterrupted power supply to households connected to the grid under Saubhagya, falls under the purview of respective State Power Utilities.

**(d) :** The data of household electrification is validated by the respective State Discoms after conducting the field visits. A web-enabled Saubhagya portal (<http://saubhagya.gov.in/>) has been developed in order to assist concerned State DISCOMs / Power Department wherein household data is updated by the State DISCOM.

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## ANNEXURE

## ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2232 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE RAJYA SABHA ON 01.01.2019.

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## Status of Household Electrification under Saubhagya

Sl. No	State	Total Households	Electrified Households as on 10 <sup>th</sup> Oct,2017	Household Electrified w.e.f 11 <sup>th</sup> Oct,2017	
				2017-18	2018-19
1	Andhra Pradesh	1,14,36,744	1,12,81,072	81,949	73,723
2	Arunachal Pradesh	3,09,024	2,55,185	0	24,539
3	Assam	66,74,071	47,90,245	1,10,836	11,33,869
4	Bihar	1,39,73,122	1,07,14,081	4,49,016	28,10,025
5	Chhattisgarh	56,74,745	49,55,330	1,55,490	5,25,800
6	Goa	1,28,208	1,28,208	0	0
7	Gujarat	1,14,14,532	1,13,73,215	15,748	25,569
8	Haryana	34,68,065	34,15,291	3,497	49,277
9	Himachal Pradesh	18,55,666	18,42,778	1,943	10,945
10	Jammu & Kashmir	24,40,128	20,72,861	0	3,67,267
11	Jharkhand	67,12,648	51,71,500	1,25,389	12,23,812
12	Karnataka	1,02,10,773	98,62,192	59,709	2,21,707
13	Kerala	98,13,032	98,13,032	0	0
14	Madhya Pradesh	1,26,21,007	1,06,36,743	11,49,748	8,34,516
15	Maharashtra	2,43,89,845	2,33,03,595	1,82,896	9,00,852
16	Manipur	4,53,055	3,50,925	746	1,01,384
17	Meghalaya	6,21,052	4,35,963	0	51,621
18	Mizoram	2,41,712	2,13,909	0	27,803
19	Nagaland	4,42,842	3,00,305	473	1,05,272
20	Odisha	96,26,175	72,19,339	1,35,348	22,57,581
21	Puducherry	95,616	94,704	0	912
22	Punjab	36,89,970	36,89,584	0	386
23	Rajasthan	1,29,48,577	1,08,59,210	2,12,555	13,16,991
24	Sikkim	98,572	83,868	0	14,704
25	Tamil Nadu	1,02,85,848	1,02,83,678	2,170	0
26	Telangana	65,28,759	60,84,656	23,803	4,20,300
27	Tripura	7,88,863	6,52,463	1,882	1,34,518
28	Uttar Pradesh	2,82,28,779	2,11,92,287	11,33,002	57,58,307
29	Uttarakhand	20,60,776	18,44,305	4,960	2,11,511
30	West Bengal	1,50,57,882	1,43,25,592	1,94,153	5,38,137
	<b>Total</b>	<b>21,22,90,088</b>	<b>18,72,46,116</b>	<b>40,45,313</b>	<b>1,91,41,328</b>

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