

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF POWER

RAJYA SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO.72
ANSWERED ON 29.07.2024

CSR SPENDING BY HYDEL PROJECTS IN HIMACHAL PRADESH

72 # SHRI HARSH MAHAJAN:

Will the Minister of Power be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the ongoing hydel projects in Himachal Pradesh and the guidelines of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) under them; and
- (b) the total amount spent by hydel projects under Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) during the last three years and the Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) where such units are functioning, the details thereof?

A N S W E R

THE MINISTER OF POWER

(SHRI MANOHAR LAL)

(a) & (b) : A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) IN RESPECT OF RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.72 FOR REPLY ON 29.07.2024 REGARDING CSR SPENDING BY HYDEL PROJECTS IN HIMACHAL PRADESH ASKED BY SHRI HARSH MAHAJAN.

(a) : At present, Himachal Pradesh has 29 Hydro Electric Projects (HEPs) with an aggregate installed capacity of 10,281 MW. Further, 9 HEPs with an aggregate installed capacity of 2,446 MW are under construction. The sector-wise and developer wise details of these projects is at **Annexure-I.**

Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) guidelines issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs are being followed by all Central Public Sector Undertakings (CPSUs) developing HEPs, which inter-alia state that:

- At least two percent of the average net profits of the company made during the last three years, has to be kept as the annual budget for CSR & sustainability works during the year by the company as per sub-section (5) of Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- Preference is given to CSR activities in the local area around the projects for the benefit of the community living in and around its projects / power stations.
- Selection of CSR and sustainability schemes is done so as to ensure that maximum benefits reach the poor, backward & needy sections of the society and contributes to improving the quality of environment.
- The areas of education, health, sanitation, rural development, skill development, environment, women empowerment, promotion of sports, art & culture etc. are prioritised for CSR spending as per Schedule VII of the Companies Act, 2013.

(b) : An amount of Rs178crores was spent in Himachal Pradesh during the last three years (2021-22 to 2023-24) under various CSR activities by CPSUs developing hydel projects. Details are at **Annexure-II.**

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN PART (a) OF THE STATEMENT LAID IN REPLY TO
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**Sector-wise/Developer-wise Installed Capacity of H.E. Projects in Himachal
Pradesh (Above 25 MW Capacity)**

Sl. No.	Utilities/Stations	Capacity (MW)
In Operation		
	Central Sector	
A	Bhakra Beas Management Board (BBMB)	
1	Bhakra Left	630
2	Bhakra Right	785
3	Dehar	990
4	Pong	396
	Sub-Total BBMB	2801
B	NHPC Limited	
5	BairaSiul	180
6	Chamera-I	540
7	Chamera-II	300
8	Chamera-III	231
9	Parbati-III	520
	Sub-Total NHPC	1771
C	SJVN Limited	
10	NathpaJhakri	1500
11	Rampur	412
	Sub-Total SJVNL	1912
D	NTPC Limited	
12	Koldam	800
	Sub-Total NTPC	800
	Total Central Sector-HP	7284
State Sector		
A	Himachal Pradesh State Electricity Board Limited (HPSEBL)	
1	Bassi	66
2	Giri Bata	60
3	Larji	126
4	Sanjay	120
	Sub-Total HPSEBL	372.00
B	Himachal Pradesh Power Corporation Limited (HPPCL)	
5	Integrated Kashang	195
6	Sainj	100
7	SawraKuddu	111
	Sub-Total HPPCL	406
C	Punjab State Power Corporation Limited (PSPCL)	
8	Shanan	110
	Sub-Total PSPCL-HP	110
	Total State Sector	888

Private Sector		
A	Malana Power Company Limited (MPCL)	
1	Malana	86
B	GreenkoBudhil Hydro Power Private Limited (GBHPPL)	
2	Budhil	70
C	Everest Power Private Limited (EPPL)	
3	Malana-II	100
D	IA Energy Private Limited (IA Energy)	
4	Chanju-I	36
E	AD Hydro Power Limited (ADHPL)	
5	AllainDuhangan	192
F	Himachal Baspa Power Company Limited (HBPCL)	
6	Baspa	300
G	JSW Energy	
7	KarchamWangtoo	1045
H	Himachal Sorang Power Pvt. Ltd. (HSPPL)	
8	Sorang	100
I	GMR Energy Ltd. (GMR)	
9	BajoliHoli	180
	Total Private Sector	2109
Grand Total		10281

Under Construction		
Central Sector		
A	NHPC Limited	
1	Parbati St. II (NHPC)	800
	Sub-Total NHPC	800
B	SJVN Limited	
2	Luhri-I	210
3	Dhulasidh	66
4	Sunni Dam	382
	Sub-Total SJVN	658
	Total Central	1458
State Sector		
A	HPPCL	
5	ShongtongKarcham	450
6	Chanju-III	48
B	BVPCL	
7	Uhl-III	100
	Total State	598
Private Sector		
A	Statcraft	
8	Tidong-I	150
B	JSW	
9	Kutehr	240
	Sub-Total Private	390
Grand Total		2446

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1. Amount Spent by CPSUs under CSR in Himachal Pradesh in last three years

(In RsCr)

Name of the CPSU	Installed Capacity of HEPs in Himachal Pradesh (in MW)	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23	FY 2023-24	Total Amount Spent
NTPC	800	0.17	1.56	2.22	3.95
NHPC	1771	20.28	23.4	17.45	61.13
SJVN	1912	37.89	42.87	31.84	112.60
THDC	0	0	0	0.34	0.34
Total	4483	58.34	67.83	51.85	178.02

2. Details of amount spent by CPSUs under different CSR activities in Himachal Pradesh

i. NTPC Limited

Sl. No.	Focus Area	Type of Activities	Financial year			Total Expenditure in last three years (Rs in Cr.)
			2021-22 (Rs. In Cr.)	2022-23 (Rs. In Cr.)	2023-24 (Rs. In Cr.)	
1	Swachh Vidyalaya Abhiyan	Construction of school toilets, Repair and Maintenance of toilets constructed under swachh vidyalaya abhiyan	0.02	0.10	0.00	0.12
2	Education	Augmenting educational infrastructure, Improving learning levels in Govt schools, Distribution of Notebooks/Bags etc.	0.15	0.05	0.55	0.75
3	Health	Ambulance-medical camps, Installation of Tru Natt Machine, organizing various medical camps, Conducting awareness camps, Support to Muscular Dystrophy Centre	0.00	0.89	0.59	1.48
4	Sustainable Development	Installation of Solar Street Lights in nearby Villages, Distribution of fruit bearing plants	0.00	0.02	0.40	0.42
5	Infrastructure	Installation of High mast light	0.00	0.26	0.11	0.37
6	Roads	Repair and maintenance of village roads,	0.00	0.00	0.16	0.16
7	Water	Installation of water purifiers schools	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.06
8	Vocational	Conducting training programs for rural youth and farmers	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.02

9	Sanitation	Support for providing Equipment/ Appliances /Sanitation infrastructure.	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.05
10	Cultural/Sports/Animal	Promoting rural art and culture, Support for rural and national sports, Conducting Animal health camps.	0.00	0.17	0.16	0.33
11	Support to Physically Challenged Persons (PCPs)	Support to persons with disabilities with Aids and Appliances	0.00	0.02	0.04	0.06
12	Women Empowerment	Training to SHGs for livelihood generation, vocational training programs for rural women etc.	0.00	0.02	0.11	0.13
		Sub-Total (Rs. in Cr.)	0.17	1.56	2.22	3.95

ii. NHPC Limited

Sl. No.	Focus Area	Type of Activities	Financial year			Total Expenditure in last three years (Rs in Cr.)
			2021-22 (Rs in Cr.)	2022-23 (Rs in Cr.)	2023-24 (Rs in Cr.)	
1	Education	Skill development programs in the periphery of Projects/ Power Stations	8.27	20.67	12.04	40.99
2	Health	Augmentation of healthcare infrastructure	7.35	2.09	1.88	11.32
3	Rural Development	Providing community services	4.61	0.44	2.98	8.03
4	Environment	Installation of solar street lights	0.00	0.00	0.25	0.25
5	Sports	Supporting sports Centers	0.00	0.20	0.26	0.46
6	Swachh Vidyalaya Abhiyan	Toilets in schools	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.02
7	Disaster Management	Providing relief material	0.03	0.00	0.03	0.06
		Total (Rs. in Cr.)	20.28	23.40	17.45	61.13

iii. SJVN Limited

Sl. No.	Type of Activities	Expenditure in Financial Year			Total Expenditure in last three years (Rs in Cr.)
		2021-22 (Rs in Cr.)	2022-23 (Rs in Cr.)	2023-24 (Rs in Cr.)	
1	Health and Hygiene	10.94	6.75	17.39	35.07
2	Education and Skill Development	5.69	5.49	4.19	15.38
3	Empowerment of Vulnerable section of Society, Women empowerment, measures for benefits of armed forces	1.71	3.01	1.14	5.87
4	Infrastructural Development and Community Development	9.32	5.81	3.65	18.79
5	Preservation and promotion of culture, Melas, Sports etc.	2.81	1.87	3.46	8.14
6	Sustainable Development	4.62	18.69	1.43	24.73
7	Support to Start-ups	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.02
8	Assistance to the victims of natural disasters/calamities	2.54	0.50	0.14	3.18
9	Miscellaneous CSR activities	0.27	0.73	0.42	1.42
Total (Rs. in Cr.)		37.89	42.87	31.84	112.60

iv. THDC India Limited

Sl. No.	Focus Area	Type of Activities	Expenditure in Financial Year			Total Expenditure in last three years (Rs in Cr.)
			2021-22 (Rs in Cr.)	2022-23 (Rs in Cr.)	2023-24 (Rs in Cr.)	
1	Infrastructure	Infrastructure development and community development in rural areas	0.00	0.00	0.11	0.11
2	Environment	Ensuring environmental sustainability and animal welfare	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01
3	Sports	Training to promote Rural sports, Nationally Recognized Sports, Paralympic Sports, Olympic Sports & development of sports infrastructure in rural area	0.00	0.00	0.22	0.22
Total (Rs. in Cr.)			0.00	0.00	0.34	0.34
