

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1103
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**ALLEGED IRREGULARITIES IN NET METERING SETTLEMENT UNDER PM
SURYA GHAR: MUFT BIJLI YOJANA**

1103. SHRI BABUBHAI JESANGBHAI DESAI

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

(a) whether Government is aware that beneficiaries under the PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana in certain States, after exporting surplus electricity to State DISCOMs/private distribution licensees through net metering, are allegedly being issued electricity bills instead of receiving the admissible adjustment or payment for the exported energy by agencies such as BEST, MSEDCL, AEML and others, if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(b) whether any complaints have been received by the Ministry, if so, the details thereof, the action taken against concerned distribution licensees and corrective measures taken or proposed for timely settlement of net metering accounts and safeguard consumers interests?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND POWER

(SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)

(a) & (b) The rooftop solar installations for residential sector under the PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana (PMSG: MBY) in the states are mainly covered under net-metering arrangement and the treatment of surplus solar power fed in to the grid from a rooftop solar plant is governed by the regulations specified by the respective State Electricity Regulatory Commissions (SERCs). Further, the SERCs also amend these regulations as and when required and accordingly the treatment of surplus solar power fed in to the grid from a rooftop solar plant is also modified. The net-metering accounts are settled by the DISCOMs as per respective SERCs regulations amended from time to time.

The Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) has received several complaints pertaining to different DISCOMs regarding wrong billing after installation of RTS systems. Such complaints are taken up with the concerned DISCOMs for resolution.
