

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO - 483**  
ANSWERED ON 23/07/2026

**POWER GENERATION THROUGH NUCLEAR ENERGY AND OTHER CLEAN  
SOURCES**

483. DR. BHIM SINGH

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether Government has any proposal to establish a nuclear power plant or undertake a feasibility study for setting up such a project in the State of Bihar, as part of its policy to augment power generation through nuclear energy and other clean energy sources; and
- (b) the specific policy measures being taken by Government to ensure Bihar's participation in the target of increasing the country's total nuclear power capacity to 22,800 MW by the year 2031-32, and to provide a clean and uninterrupted power supply to the State?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND  
PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (DR. JITENDRA SINGH)

- (a) & (b) Nuclear Power Corporation of India Limited (NPCIL), a Public sector undertaking under Department of Atomic Energy, Government of India is engaged with the Government of Bihar in locating potential sites for setting up nuclear power plants in the state. The present plan of the Government to reach about 22 GW of installed nuclear power capacity by the year 2031- 32, does not envisage participation from the state of Bihar.

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