

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2648
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.12.2016

Saur Sujala Yojana

2648. SHRI NAGAR RODMAL:

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

- (a) whether the Government has launched the Saur Sujala Yojana in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the names of States where the said yojana has been launched;
- (c) whether the Government has prepared any modalities for providing benefits under the yojana;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and
- (e) the time by which the facilities under the said yojana are likely to be made available to the farmers?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR POWER, COAL, NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY & MINES (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a): Ministry of New & Renewable Energy (MNRE) is providing solar pumps for irrigation and drinking water purpose under Off-grid and Decentralized Solar Application Programme. Recently Government of Chhattisgarh has launched solar pumps programme under the name 'Saur Sujala Yojana' which also has MNRE support.

(b): The Government of Chhattisgarh plans to install 11000 pumps by 31.03.2017 and 51000 by 2019 under the yojana.

(c) & (d): Government of India is providing 30% subsidy to the farmers upto 5 HP capacity through States.

The programme is already under implementation.
