GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4828

TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.12.2016

GENERATION OF POWER FROM RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES

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

- (a) the current position of India vis-a-vis developed countries in the generation of power from through renewable energy sources;
- (b) whether a number of proposals from various State Government's for generation of power through renewable energy sources are pending with the Union Government; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the time by which such proposals are likely to be cleared by the Union Government, State/ UT-wise?

ANSWER

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

- (a): As per Renewable 2016 Global Status Report REN- 21, at the end of 2015, India stood at 5th in the total capacity generation of Renewable energy power (excluding large Hydro Power) after China, United States, Germany and Japan.
- (b) & (c): Proposals are received from State Governments and UT Administrations for sanction of the eligible central finance assistance (CFA) for different categories of end users and beneficiaries (Government bodies / private developers / industry / NGOs / individuals) under various schemes and programmes of the Ministry of New & Renewable Energy (MNRE) for promotion of grid-interactive renewable power projects as well as off-grid, decentralized renewable energy systems. Such proposals are received on a regular basis and those found complete in all respects, as per guidelines, are approved for sanction and disbursement of eligible CFA, in line with provisions of the respective schemes/programmes, subject to availability of funds.
