GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF POWER

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1606 TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.03.2017

DISTRIBUTION OF LED BULBS

†1606. SHRI A.T. NANA PATIL:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of the agencies to which the work of distribution of LED bulbs has been entrusted by the Government under Ujala scheme and the States in which these bulbs are being distributed, State-wise;
- (b) the number of bulbs distributed under this scheme so far and the process adopted for the distribution of the bulbs;
- (c) the price at which LED bulbs are being sold under this scheme along with the actual cost of the LED bulbs;
- (d) the units of electricity saved through the use of LED bulbs and the financial saving accrued to the country as a result thereof; and
- (e) whether the Government proposes to distribute a specific number of LED bulbs free of cost to each family every year and if so, the time by which LED bulbs are likely to be distributed free of cost?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a): Hon'ble Prime Minister of India launched the National LED programme on 5th January, 2015, called Unnat Jyoti by Affordable LEDs for All (UJALA), which is being implemented by Energy Efficiency Services Limited (EESL), a joint venture company of four Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) under Ministry of Power. The names of the agencies to which the work of distribution of LED bulbs has been entrusted by the EESL under Ujala scheme and the States in which these bulbs are being distributed, State/UT-wise, is given at Annex.

- (b): As on 02.03.2017, over 21.5 crore LED bulbs have been distributed under this scheme. EESL aggregates the demand and procures LED bulbs through competitive bidding process to get the lowest price compared to retail market. LED bulbs are distributed to consumer through kiosk setup at various locations in the city.
- (c): LED Bulbs are being sold at a price range of Rs. 60-70 per bulb, depending on the rate of applicable taxes by the State. The procurement price of 9 watt, 900 Lm LED bulb discovered in the latest tender is Rs 38 per bulb (excluding applicable taxes). Over and above to this basic cost of bulbs, cost of distribution, cost of capital, cost of media and awareness and other expenses as well as taxes are added to arrive at the selling price.
- (d): As on 02.03.2017, over 21.5 crore LED bulbs have been distributed resulting in an estimated annual energy saving of 27928 million units and an estimated cost saving of Rs.11,171 crore per year.

(e): No, Madam.

ANNEX REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1606 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 09.03.2017.

The names of the agencies to which the distribution of LED bulbs has been entrusted by the EESL under Ujala Scheme and the States in which these bulbs are being distributed, State/UT-wise:-

SI. No.	State/UTs	Distribution Agency
1	Andaman & Nicobar	Andaman & Nicobar Administration Electricity Department
2	Andhra Pradesh	M/s Radiant Haroti Industries India Limited
		M/s SNR EDATAS Private Limited.
		M/s Alankit Limited
3	Assam	Assam Power Distribution Company Limited (APDCL)
	Bihar	M/s Span Communications
		M/s Nevaeh Technology Private Limited
4		M/s Zephyr Limited
		M/s Command Consultancy
	Chhattisgarh	M/s Sun Mega Ventures Private Limited
		M/s Medas Consultancy Services
5		M/s Alankit Limited
		M/s Hypersoft Technologies Limited
		M/s Radiant Haroti Industries India Limited
6	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	M/s Shubh Enterprises
	Daman & Diu	M/s Alankit Limited
7		M/s Shubh Enterprises
	Delhi	Department of Posts, Government of India
8		M/s Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited (TPDDL)
		M/S NVR & Associates Limited
	Madhya Pradesh	M/s Alankit Limited
		Department of Posts, Government of India
9		M/s Akshay Urja Shop
		M/s Kishan Infrastructure Industries
		M/s Medas Consultancy Services
40	Maharashtra	M/s Alankit Limited
10		M/s Community Works Welfare Society
	Meghalaya	M/s Alankit Limited
44		M/s Community Works Welfare Society
11		Department of Posts, Government of India
		M/s Common Service Center
12	Mizoram	M/s Community Works Welfare Society
13	Rajasthan	M/s Radiant Haroti Industries India Limited
		Department of Information Technology

14	Cildrina	M/s ITECH Mass Private Limited
14	Sikkim	
		M/s Hypersoft Technologies Limited
15	Telangana	M/s Shubh Enterprises
		M/s Netxcell Limited
		M/s Sun Mega Ventures Private Limited
		M/s Alankit Limited
16	Tripura	M/s ITECH Mass Private Limited
17	Goa	M/s Merry Gold Enterprises
		M/s Alankit Limited
	Gujarat	M/s Radiant Haroti Industries India Limited
18		M/s SNR EDATAS Private. Limited
		M/s Kishan Infrastructure Industries
		M/s Strategic Outsourcing Services Private Limited
	Haryana	M/s Netxcell Limited
		M/s NVR & Associates Limited
19		M/s Amar Constructions
		M/s Command Consultancy
		M/s Merry Gold Enterprises
20	Himachal Pradesh	M/s Merry Gold Enterprises
20		M/s Alankit Limited
21	Jammu & Kashmir	M/s Radiant Haroti Industries India Limited
21		M/s Common Service Center
	Jharkhand	M/s Sun Mega Ventures Private Limited
22		M/s Nevaeh Technology Private Limited
		M/s Command Consultancy
	Karnataka	M/s Edurays India
23		M/s Shubh Enterprises
23		M/s Kishan Infrastructure Industries
		M/s Excel Technovation Private Limited
24	Kerala	Kerala State Electricity Board Limited (KSEBL)
25	Lakshadweep	Lakshadweep Energy Development Agency(LEDA)
26	Nagaland	Kohima District Administration
	Odisha	M/s Nevaeh Technology Private Limited
27		M/s SNR EDATAS Private Limited
		M/s Community Works Welfare Society
	Uttarakhand	M/s ITECH Mass Private Limited
28		Department of Posts, Government of India
20		M/s Span Communications Communication
		M/s Alankit Limited
	West Bengal	M/s Nevaeh Technology Private Limited
29		M/s Command Consultancy
29		M/s Zephyr Limited
		M/s Amar Constructions
30	Sikkim	M/s ITECH Mass Private Limited
31	Puducherry	M/s E3 Innovations
