

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF POWER**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2322  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.03.2017**

**LOSSES OF DISCOMS**

**2322. SHRI RABINDRA KUMAR JENA:**

**Will the Minister of POWER  
be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of the amount of debt, profit/loss of DISCOMs for the last three years;
- (b) whether State owned DISCOMs are continuously reporting a higher debt than Private Owned DISCOMs;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the justifications therefor;
- (d) the extent to which UDAY scheme is effective in reducing the debt of DISCOMs; and
- (e) the details of differences between UDAY and the Financial Restructuring Plan launched in 2011-12?

**A N S W E R**

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

**( SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL )**

(a) to (c) : As per 'Report on Performance of State Power Utilities' published by Power Finance Corporation (PFC) Ltd., the aggregate losses and total outstanding debt for utilities selling power directly to consumers including data available for private utilities such as BSES Rajdhani, BSES Yamuna and Tata Power (TPDDL) for the years 2012-13 to 2014-15 are as given below:

	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15
<b>Profit/(Loss) on subsidy received basis (Rs. in crore)</b>	<b>(71,621)</b>	<b>(67,336)</b>	<b>(58,275)</b>
<b>Total Outstanding Debt (Rs. in crore)</b>	<b>3,04,228</b>	<b>3,65,013</b>	<b>4,06,825</b>

The state-wise and utility-wise profit/loss details are given at Annexure-I and the state-wise and utility-wise outstanding debt details are given at Annexure-II.

**The financial position of Distribution Utilities depends on the subjective parameters of geographical spread, category break-up of their consumers and level of Distribution infrastructure, and thus a strict comparison on debt levels cannot be drawn.**

**(d) : Under Ujwal DISCOM Assurance Yojana (UDAY), States are to take over 75 per cent of debt of Power Distribution Companies (DISCOMs) as on 30.09.2015 which would be outside the Fiscal Responsibility & Budgetary Management (FRBM) Limits. As on 10.03.2017, Bonds worth Rs. 2,14,187.29 crore have been issued by the participating States under UDAY, at reduced rate of interest leading to savings in the interest burden.**

**(e) : The liabilities of State Power Distribution Utilities are the contingent liabilities of the States. Recognizing this, UDAY does not provide a direct financial support to the Utilities. However, the Financial Restructuring Plan (FRP) provided for financial support from the Government of India. UDAY also provides for the borrowings by the state in 2015-16 and 2016-17 to be outside FRBM Act, while there was no such provision under the FRP.**

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## ANNEXURE-I

## ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2322 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 16.03.2017.

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## DETAILS OF STATE-WISE AND UTILITY-WISE LOSS INCURRED IN CRORE

Region	State	Utility	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	
			Profit/(Loss) on subsidy received basis	Profit/(Loss) on subsidy received basis	Profit/(Loss) on subsidy received basis	
Eastern	Bihar	BSEB	(1,088)	0	0	
		NBPDCL	(56)	(74)	(491)	
		SBPDCL	(84)	(269)	(748)	
		<b>Bihar Total</b>	<b>(1,227)</b>	<b>(343)</b>	<b>(1,239)</b>	
	Jharkhand	JSEB	(2,668)	(3,950)	0	
		JBVNL	0	(71)	(37)	
		<b>Jharkhand Total</b>	<b>(2,668)</b>	<b>(4,021)</b>	<b>(37)</b>	
	Odisha	CESU	(316)	(199)	(202)	
		NESCO	(77)	(45)	(123)	
		SESCO	(34)	(11)	(379)	
		WESCO	(132)	(87)	(224)	
		<b>Odisha Total</b>	<b>(559)</b>	<b>(342)</b>	<b>(929)</b>	
	Sikkim	Sikkim PD	39	33	(126)	
		<b>Sikkim Total</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>(126)</b>	
	West Bengal	WBSEDCL	82	19	20	
		<b>West Bengal Total</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	
	<b>Eastern Total</b>			<b>(4,332)</b>	<b>(4,654)</b>	<b>(2,310)</b>
	North Eastern	Arunachal Pradesh	Arunachal PD	(255)	(428)	(257)
			<b>Arunachal Pradesh Total</b>	<b>(255)</b>	<b>(428)</b>	<b>(257)</b>
Assam		APDCL	(568)	(693)	(578)	
		<b>Assam Total</b>	<b>(568)</b>	<b>(693)</b>	<b>(578)</b>	
Manipur		Manipur PD	(315)	(194)	0	
		MSPDCL	0	0	0	
		<b>Manipur Total</b>	<b>(315)</b>	<b>(194)</b>	<b>0</b>	
Meghalaya		MePDCL	(221)	(295)	(202)	
		<b>Meghalaya Total</b>	<b>(221)</b>	<b>(295)</b>	<b>(202)</b>	
Mizoram		Mizoram PD	(200)	(192)	(192)	
		<b>Mizoram Total</b>	<b>(200)</b>	<b>(192)</b>	<b>(192)</b>	
Nagaland		Nagaland PD	(212)	(191)	(315)	
		<b>Nagaland Total</b>	<b>(212)</b>	<b>(191)</b>	<b>(315)</b>	
Tripura		TSECL	(107)	(62)	(82)	
		<b>Tripura Total</b>	<b>(107)</b>	<b>(62)</b>	<b>(82)</b>	
<b>North Eastern Total</b>			<b>(1,880)</b>	<b>(2,056)</b>	<b>(1,625)</b>	
Northern		Delhi	BSES Rajdhani	21	8	63
	BSES Yamuna		25	11	19	
	TPDDL		310	334	336	
		<b>Delhi Total</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>418</b>	
	Haryana	DHBVNL	(1,352)	(2,089)	(636)	
		UHBVNL	(2,297)	(1,465)	(1,481)	
		<b>Haryana Total</b>	<b>(3,649)</b>	<b>(3,554)</b>	<b>(2,117)</b>	
	Himachal Pradesh	HPSEB Ltd.	(340)	(137)	(125)	
		<b>Himachal Pradesh Total</b>	<b>(340)</b>	<b>(137)</b>	<b>(125)</b>	
	Jammu & Kashmir	J&K PDD	(3,129)	(2,387)	(3,913)	
		<b>Jammu &amp; Kashmir Total</b>	<b>(3,129)</b>	<b>(2,387)</b>	<b>(3,913)</b>	
	Punjab	PSPCL	94	249	(1,100)	
		<b>Punjab Total</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>(1,100)</b>	
	Rajasthan	AVVNL	(3,905)	(4,843)	(3,593)	
		JDVVNL	(4,285)	(5,299)	(4,146)	
JVVNL		(4,161)	(5,503)	(4,735)		
	<b>Rajasthan Total</b>	<b>(12,351)</b>	<b>(15,645)</b>	<b>(12,474)</b>		

	<b>Uttar Pradesh</b>	<b>DVVN</b>	<b>(3,364)</b>	<b>(5,521)</b>	<b>(2,936)</b>
		<b>KESCO</b>	<b>(545)</b>	<b>(674)</b>	<b>(168)</b>
		<b>MVVN</b>	<b>(2,033)</b>	<b>(3,263)</b>	<b>(1,994)</b>
		<b>Pash VVN</b>	<b>(1,303)</b>	<b>(3,172)</b>	<b>(1,577)</b>
		<b>Poorv VVN</b>	<b>(2,533)</b>	<b>(4,095)</b>	<b>(2,000)</b>
	<b>Uttar Pradesh Total</b>		<b>(9,778)</b>	<b>(16,724)</b>	<b>(8,675)</b>
	<b>Uttarakhand</b>	<b>Ut PCL</b>	<b>(16)</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>(260)</b>
	<b>Uttarakhand Total</b>		<b>(16)</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>(260)</b>
<b>Northern Total</b>			<b>(28,814)</b>	<b>(37,521)</b>	<b>(28,245)</b>
<b>Southern</b>	<b>Andhra Pradesh</b>	<b>APCPDCL</b>	<b>(7,718)</b>	<b>(811)</b>	<b>0</b>
		<b>APEPDCL</b>	<b>(1,681)</b>	<b>(136)</b>	<b>(722)</b>
		<b>APNPDCL</b>	<b>(3,445)</b>	<b>(31)</b>	<b>0</b>
		<b>APSPDCL</b>	<b>(4,678)</b>	<b>(401)</b>	<b>(1,827)</b>
	<b>Andhra Pradesh Total</b>		<b>(17,522)</b>	<b>(1,379)</b>	<b>(2,549)</b>
	<b>Karnataka</b>	<b>BESCOM</b>	<b>(433)</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>113</b>
		<b>CHESCOM</b>	<b>(337)</b>	<b>(72)</b>	<b>37</b>
		<b>GESCOM</b>	<b>(189)</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>(110)</b>
		<b>HESCOM</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>(576)</b>	<b>30</b>
		<b>MESCOM</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>
	<b>Karnataka Total</b>		<b>(905)</b>	<b>(534)</b>	<b>85</b>
	<b>Kerala</b>	<b>KSEB</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>0</b>
		<b>KSEBL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>(24)</b>	<b>(1,273)</b>
	<b>Kerala Total</b>		<b>241</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>(1,273)</b>
	<b>Puducherry</b>	<b>Puducherry PD</b>	<b>(308)</b>	<b>(60)</b>	<b>157</b>
	<b>Puducherry Total</b>		<b>(308)</b>	<b>(60)</b>	<b>157</b>
	<b>Tamil Nadu</b>	<b>TANGEDCO</b>	<b>(12,064)</b>	<b>(14,052)</b>	<b>(12,757)</b>
	<b>Tamil Nadu Total</b>		<b>(12,064)</b>	<b>(14,052)</b>	<b>(12,757)</b>
	<b>Telangana</b>	<b>TSNPDCL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>(1,741)</b>
		<b>TSSPDCL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>(1,171)</b>
	<b>Telangana Total</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>(2,912)</b>
<b>Southern Total</b>			<b>(30,559)</b>	<b>(15,909)</b>	<b>(19,249)</b>
<b>Western</b>	<b>Chhattisgarh</b>	<b>CSPDCL</b>	<b>(498)</b>	<b>(630)</b>	<b>(1,569)</b>
	<b>Chhattisgarh Total</b>		<b>(498)</b>	<b>(630)</b>	<b>(1,569)</b>
	<b>Goa</b>	<b>Goa PD</b>	<b>(285)</b>	<b>(4)</b>	<b>(17)</b>
	<b>Goa Total</b>		<b>(285)</b>	<b>(4)</b>	<b>(17)</b>
	<b>Gujarat</b>	<b>DGVCL</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>51</b>
		<b>MGVCL</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>29</b>
		<b>PGVCL</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>
		<b>UGVCL</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>17</b>
	<b>Gujarat Total</b>		<b>71</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>108</b>
	<b>Madhya Pradesh</b>	<b>MP Madhya Kshetra VVCL</b>	<b>(1,595)</b>	<b>(2,672)</b>	<b>(2,765)</b>
		<b>MP Paschim Kshetra VVCL</b>	<b>(1,425)</b>	<b>(1,811)</b>	<b>(1,061)</b>
		<b>MP Purv Kshetra VVCL</b>	<b>(1,432)</b>	<b>(1,893)</b>	<b>(1,175)</b>
	<b>Madhya Pradesh Total</b>		<b>(4,452)</b>	<b>(6,376)</b>	<b>(5,001)</b>
	<b>Maharashtra</b>	<b>MSEDCL</b>	<b>(871)</b>	<b>(280)</b>	<b>(366)</b>
	<b>Maharashtra Total</b>		<b>(871)</b>	<b>(280)</b>	<b>(366)</b>
<b>Western Total</b>			<b>(6,036)</b>	<b>(7,196)</b>	<b>(6,845)</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>			<b>(71,621)</b>	<b>(67,336)</b>	<b>(58,275)</b>

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## ANNEXURE-II

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Details of State-wise and Utility-wise outstanding debt in crores						
Region	State	Utility	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	
Eastern	Bihar	BSEB				
		NBPDCL	1,281	1,654	1,776	
		SBPDCL	1,682	2,174	2,040	
		<b>Bihar Total</b>		<b>2,963</b>	<b>3,827</b>	<b>3,816</b>
	Jharkhand	JSEB	9,795			
		JBVNL		125	265	
		<b>Jharkhand Total</b>		<b>9,795</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>265</b>
	Odisha	CESU	1,668	1,949	2,163	
		NESCO	670	704	933	
		SESCO	548	557	721	
		WESCO	589	587	769	
		<b>Odisha Total</b>		<b>3,476</b>	<b>3,797</b>	<b>4,585</b>
	Sikkim	Sikkim PD	0	0	0	
		<b>Sikkim Total</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	West Bengal	WBSEDCL	9,197	11,648	12,871	
			9,197	11,648	12,871	
		<b>West Bengal Total</b>				
<b>Eastern Total</b>			<b>25,430</b>	<b>19,398</b>	<b>21,536</b>	
North Eastern	Arunachal Pradesh	Arunachal PD	0	0	0	
		<b>Arunachal Pradesh Total</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
	Assam	APDCL	1,351	1,591	2,260	
		<b>Assam Total</b>		<b>1,351</b>	<b>1,591</b>	<b>2,260</b>
	Manipur	Manipur PD	79	0	0	
		MSPDCL	0	0	0	
		<b>Manipur Total</b>		<b>79</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	Meghalaya	MePDCL	324	266	388	
		<b>Meghalaya Total</b>		<b>324</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>388</b>
	Mizoram	Mizoram PD	39	37	32	
		<b>Mizoram Total</b>		<b>39</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>32</b>
	Nagaland	Nagaland PD	150	0	328	
		<b>Nagaland Total</b>		<b>150</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>328</b>
	Tripura	TSECL	204	204	237	
		<b>Tripura Total</b>		<b>204</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>237</b>
<b>North Eastern Total</b>			<b>2,148</b>	<b>2,099</b>	<b>3,246</b>	
Northern	Delhi	BSES Rajdhani	4,599	4,167	3,702	
		BSES Yamuna	3,171	2,961	2,858	
		TPDDL	3,762	3,940	3,782	
		<b>Delhi Total</b>		<b>11,532</b>	<b>11,068</b>	<b>10,343</b>
	Haryana	DHBVNL	8,056	10,750	14,659	
		UHBVNL	14,515	17,950	19,425	
		<b>Haryana Total</b>		<b>22,571</b>	<b>28,700</b>	<b>34,085</b>
	Himachal Pradesh	HPSEB Ltd.	4,522	4,374	4,590	
		<b>Himachal Pradesh Total</b>		<b>4,522</b>	<b>4,374</b>	<b>4,590</b>
	Jammu & Kashmir	J&K PDD	147	152	166	
		<b>Jammu &amp; Kashmir Total</b>		<b>147</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>166</b>
	Punjab	PSPCL	19,795	19,771	21,903	
	<b>Punjab Total</b>			<b>19,795</b>	<b>19,771</b>	<b>21,903</b>

	<b>Rajasthan</b>	<b>AVVNL</b>	<b>22,667</b>	<b>24,812</b>	<b>27,017</b>
		<b>JDVVNL</b>	<b>20,954</b>	<b>23,493</b>	<b>25,956</b>
		<b>JVVNL</b>	<b>20,520</b>	<b>24,553</b>	<b>28,176</b>
	<b>Rajasthan Total</b>		<b>64,141</b>	<b>72,858</b>	<b>81,149</b>
	<b>Uttar Pradesh</b>	<b>DVVN</b>	<b>10,503</b>	<b>17,950</b>	<b>20,477</b>
		<b>KESCO</b>	<b>1,979</b>	<b>3,160</b>	<b>3,151</b>
		<b>MVVN</b>	<b>6,642</b>	<b>10,163</b>	<b>10,704</b>
		<b>Pash VVN</b>	<b>6,819</b>	<b>9,956</b>	<b>9,941</b>
		<b>Poorv VVN</b>	<b>7,694</b>	<b>12,370</b>	<b>12,709</b>
	<b>Uttar Pradesh Total</b>		<b>33,637</b>	<b>53,599</b>	<b>56,982</b>
	<b>Uttarakhand</b>	<b>Ut PCL</b>	<b>1,344</b>	<b>1,201</b>	<b>1,388</b>
	<b>Uttarakhand Total</b>		<b>1,344</b>	<b>1,201</b>	<b>1,388</b>
<b>Northern Total</b>			<b>1,57,689</b>	<b>1,91,723</b>	<b>2,10,607</b>
<b>Southern</b>	<b>Andhra Pradesh</b>	<b>APCPDCL</b>	<b>7,808</b>	<b>8,793</b>	
		<b>APEPDCL</b>	<b>3,233</b>	<b>3,554</b>	<b>3,879</b>
		<b>APNPDCL</b>	<b>4,159</b>	<b>4,306</b>	
		<b>APSPDCL</b>	<b>6,302</b>	<b>6,913</b>	<b>9,958</b>
	<b>Andhra Pradesh Total</b>		<b>21,502</b>	<b>23,567</b>	<b>13,837</b>
	<b>Karnataka</b>	<b>BESCOM</b>	<b>3,419</b>	<b>4,524</b>	<b>5,489</b>
		<b>CHESCOM</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>539</b>	<b>964</b>
		<b>GESCOM</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>726</b>
		<b>HESCOM</b>	<b>1,126</b>	<b>1,343</b>	<b>1,983</b>
		<b>MESCOM</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>677</b>
	<b>Karnataka Total</b>		<b>5,789</b>	<b>7,619</b>	<b>9,838</b>
	<b>Kerala</b>	<b>KSEB</b>	<b>4,077</b>		
		<b>KSEBL</b>		<b>5,261</b>	<b>5,810</b>
	<b>Kerala Total</b>		<b>4,077</b>	<b>5,261</b>	<b>5,810</b>
	<b>Puducherry</b>	<b>Puducherry PD</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	<b>Puducherry Total</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
	<b>Tamil Nadu</b>	<b>TANGEDCO</b>	<b>45,198</b>	<b>66,105</b>	<b>75,467</b>
	<b>Tamil Nadu Total</b>		<b>45,198</b>	<b>66,105</b>	<b>75,467</b>
	<b>Telangana</b>	<b>TSNPDCL</b>			<b>4,867</b>
		<b>TSSPDCL</b>			<b>7,059</b>
	<b>Telangana Total</b>				<b>11,926</b>
<b>Southern Total</b>			<b>76,566</b>	<b>1,02,552</b>	<b>1,16,877</b>
<b>Western</b>	<b>Chhattisgarh</b>	<b>CSPDCL</b>	<b>1,052</b>	<b>1,502</b>	<b>1,907</b>
	<b>Chhattisgarh Total</b>		<b>1,052</b>	<b>1,502</b>	<b>1,907</b>
	<b>Goa</b>	<b>Goa PD</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>54</b>
	<b>Goa Total</b>		<b>109</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>54</b>
	<b>Gujarat</b>	<b>DGVCL</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>223</b>
		<b>MGVCL</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>302</b>
		<b>PGVCL</b>	<b>1,278</b>	<b>1,047</b>	<b>1,136</b>
		<b>UGVCL</b>	<b>536</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>524</b>
	<b>Gujarat Total</b>		<b>2,423</b>	<b>2,024</b>	<b>2,186</b>
	<b>Madhya Pradesh</b>	<b>MP Madhya Kshetra VVCL</b>	<b>7,593</b>	<b>9,604</b>	<b>11,762</b>
		<b>MP Paschim Kshetra VVCL</b>	<b>7,055</b>	<b>8,346</b>	<b>9,807</b>
		<b>MP Purv Kshetra VVCL</b>	<b>8,038</b>	<b>9,966</b>	<b>11,822</b>
	<b>Madhya Pradesh Total</b>		<b>22,685</b>	<b>27,916</b>	<b>33,391</b>
	<b>Maharashtra</b>	<b>MSEDCL</b>	<b>16,127</b>	<b>17,703</b>	<b>17,021</b>
	<b>Maharashtra Total</b>		<b>16,127</b>	<b>17,703</b>	<b>17,021</b>
<b>Western Total</b>			<b>42,396</b>	<b>49,242</b>	<b>54,559</b>

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