

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3542
TO BE ANSWERED ON 23.03.2017

CAPACITY ADDITION BY NTPC

3542. SHRIMATI K. MARAGATHAM:

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

- (a) whether the National Thermal Power Corporation Limited (NTPC) has drafted its business plan for capacity addition of about 1,000 MW through renewable energy resources;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the NTPC has raised Rs. 2,000 crore through issuance of green masala bonds in the overseas market that will be used for financing renewable energy projects; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): Yes Madam. National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) Limited has drafted/prepared its long-term Corporate Plan and has planned to achieve 32 GW installed capacity through renewable energy resources by 2032.

(c) & (d): NTPC Ltd. has raised Rs. 2,000 crore through issuance of green masala bonds in overseas market under its USD 4 billion medium term note programme. The proceeds of these bonds will be used for financing renewable energy projects in accordance with applicable guidelines and regulations of Reserve Bank of India (RBI). The details of the green masala bonds are given under:

Size of the Issue	INR 2,000 crore
Date of Issue	10.08.2016
Coupon	7.375% per annum, payable annually
Security	Unsecured
Listing	At Singapore Stock Exchange and London Stock Exchange
Repayment Period	Bullet repayment after 5 years
Maturity date	10.08.2021
