# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY

### LOK SABHA

## **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4031**

TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.08.2017

## OPENING OF STATE LEVEL SOLAR ENERGY INSTITUTION

#### 4031. SHRI PASHUPATI NATH SINGH:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to open a State level solar energy institution similar to the National Institute of Solar Energy in district Dhanbad of Jharkhand State;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

#### **ANSWER**

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

(a) to (c): There is no proposal from the Government to open State level solar energy institution in the State of Jharkhand. As National Institute of Solar Energy is providing all needed technical support, no new institution is required to be opened at this stage.

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