

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-990**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON-08.02.2018

**INFRASTRUCTURE TO PROMOTE SOLAR POWER PLANTS**

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

- (a) the policy of the Government towards creation of infrastructural facilities with a view to promote the setting up of solar power plants upto the international market standards; and
- (b) the areas identified by his Ministry in which Indian System need to improvise for the said purpose?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND POWER (I/C)  
(SHRI R.K. SINGH)

- (a) With the objective of setting up of solar power plants, the Government has launched schemes under which modern infrastructure in the form of Solar Parks and Green Energy Corridors for power evacuation systems are set up. The Government is implementing a scheme for “Development of Solar Parks and Ultra Mega Solar Power Projects” for installation of 40,000 MW Grid connected Solar Power capacity. Under the scheme financial support is provided for creating basic infrastructure. In addition, a Green Energy Corridor scheme for evacuation of Renewable Energy from generation points to the load centres by creating intra-state and inter-state transmission infrastructure has also been launched for facilitating large scale renewable generation capacity addition.
- (b) Both the above mentioned schemes provide for creation of infrastructure at par with the international standards.

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