GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF POWER

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1410 TO BE ANSWERED ON 26.07.2018

ELECTRIFICATION OF VILLAGES

†1410. SHRI NAGAR RODMAL: SHRI HARI MANJHI:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has set any time limit to electrify every village of the country under Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Gram Jyoti Yojana (DDUGJY) and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the details of number of villages electrified in the country during the last two years, State/UT-wise;
- (c) the number of villages electrified so far and the number of them yet to be electrified under DDUGJY, State-wise, including Madhya Pradesh;
- (d) whether the Government has set any target to supply electricity to all the villages under electrification scheme; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI R. K. SINGH)

(a) to (c): Under Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Gram Jyoti Yojana (DDUGJY), all the remaining un-electrified inhabited census villages in the country were electrified as on 28.04.2018. The State-wise details of number of villages electrified in the country during the last two years, is given at Annexure-I.

State-wise total number of un-electrified census villages electrified under DDUGJY including Madhya Pradesh, is given at Annexure-II.

(d) & (e): The supply of electricity to villages falls under the jurisdiction of respective State Governments/Power Utilities. However, Government of India has taken a joint initiative with all the States/UTs for preparation of State specific documents for providing 24x7 power supply to all households, industrial & commercial consumers and adequate supply of power to agricultural consumers as per State policy. All the State Governments and Union Territories have signed the "24X7 Power For All" document to provide electricity to all from 1st April 2019. Government of India supplements the efforts of States through its various schemes including Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Gram Jyoti Yojana (DDUGJY) and Integrated Power Development Scheme (IPDS) Pradhan Mantri Sahaj Bijli Har Ghar Yojana – Saubhagya and Ujjwal Discom Assurance Yojana (UDAY).

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State-wise number of inhabited census villages electrified during the last two years

| Sr. No. | Name of the State | 2016-17 | 2017-18 |
|---------|-------------------|---------|---------|
| 1 | Arunachal Pradesh | 175 | 854 |
| 2 | Assam | 1,218 | 572 |
| 3 | Bihar | 556 | 332 |
| 4 | Chhattisgarh | 294 | 348 |
| 5 | Himachal Pradesh | 27 | - |
| 6 | J & K | 5 | 35 |
| 7 | Jharkhand | 1,104 | 613 |
| 8 | Karnataka | 14 | 25 |
| 9 | Madhya Pradesh | 159 | 44 |
| 10 | Manipur | 121 | 77 |
| 11 | Meghalaya | 681 | 218 |
| 12 | Mizoram | 24 | 14 |
| 13 | Nagaland | 76 | 2 |
| 14 | Odisha | 1,092 | 544 |
| 15 | Rajasthan | 263 | 1 |
| 16 | Tripura | 17 | - |
| 17 | Uttar Pradesh | 162 | 9 |
| 18 | Uttarakhand | 18 | 43 |
| 19 | West Bengal | 9 | 5 |
| Total | | 6,015 | 3,736 |

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State-wise total number of inhabited census villages electrified under DDUGJY (including RE Component)

| Sr. No. | Name of the State | Cumulative Achievement |
|---------|-------------------|------------------------|
| 1 | Arunachal Pradesh | 3561 |
| 2 | Assam | 11058 |
| 3 | Bihar | 26190 |
| 4 | Chhattisgarh | 2375 |
| 5 | Himachal Pradesh | 118 |
| 6 | J & K | 349 |
| 7 | Jharkhand | 20373 |
| 8 | Karnataka | 94 |
| 9 | Madhya Pradesh | 1206 |
| 10 | Maharashtra | 80 |
| 11 | Manipur | 1174 |
| 12 | Meghalaya | 2892 |
| 13 | Mizoram | 208 |
| 14 | Nagaland | 180 |
| 15 | Odisha | 17661 |
| 16 | Rajasthan | 4583 |
| 17 | Sikkim | 25 |
| 18 | Tripura | 167 |
| 19 | Uttar Pradesh | 29306 |
| 20 | Uttarakhand | 1605 |
| 21 | West Bengal | 4205 |
| | Total | 127410 |
