 Lok Sabha
Unstarred Question No. 186
To be Answered on 2nd February 2023

Research Institute for Green Fuels

†186. SHRI MAHABALI SINGH:

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to establish any Research Institute for Biogas, Bio-diesel and Solar Energy in the country including Bihar;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the funds earmarked and sanctioned for the said purpose?

Answer

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री (श्री रामेश्वर तेली)

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
(Shri Rameswar Teli)

(a) to (c) Currently following institutions are operating under Department of Science and Technology (DST) and Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) for research and development in Solar and Bio Energy field:

(i) DST-IITM Solar Energy Harnessing Centre at Indian Institute of Technology Madras, Tamil Nadu with sanctioned cost of Rs. 39.73 crore.

(ii) DST-IIEST Solar PV Hub at Indian Institute of Engineering Science and Technology, Shibpur, West Bengal under DST with sanctioned cost of Rs. 26.21 crore.

(iii) National Institute of Solar Energy, Gurugram, Haryana under MNRE with Budget Estimate (BE) of Rs. 16.00 crore for FY 2022-23.

(iv) Sardar Swaran Singh National Institute of Bio Energy, Kapurthala, Punjab under MNRE with Budget Estimate (BE) of Rs. 7.00 crore for FY 2022-23.

Presently, Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas does not have any proposal to establish any Research Institute for Biogas, Bio-diesel and Solar Energy in the country including Bihar.

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