

Government of India  
Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION No.1894**

To be answered on  
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**QUESTION**  
**Hydro Electric Projects in Meghalaya**

1894. SHRI ABHISHEK BANERJEE:

Will the Minister of DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of hydro electric projects currently in use in Meghalaya;
- (b) the number of new hydro electric projects sanctioned annually during the last five years in Meghalaya;
- (c) the number of disasters, accidents, injuries and deaths that have been caused by hydro electric projects in Meghalaya; and
- (d) the safeguards taken or likely to be taken to prevent sinking of towns in Meghalaya such as is happening in Joshimath?

**ANSWER**

**The Minister of the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region**

**[Shri G. Kishan Reddy]**

- (a) 05 large Hydro Electric Projects and 03 small Hydro Power Projects are installed in Meghalaya.
- (b) One large Hydro Electric Project has been concurred by Central Electricity Authority during the last five years in Meghalaya.
- (c) As per the information made available to the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region, no such incident has been reported.
- (d) Does not arise.

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