## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2833 TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.12.2023

## **Nuclear Power Station in West Bengal**

2833. SHRI SISIR KUMAR ADHIKARI:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Government had proposed a 10,000 MW nuclear power station at Haripur, West Bengal to meet up the demand of power;
- (b) if so, whether the Government is planning to review the proposal to set up Nuclear Power Plant at Sagar area;
- (c) if so, the details of the proposal along with the DPR thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons for the same?

## ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (DR. JITENDRA SINGH):

- (a) The Government has accorded 'In-Principle' approval to set up six nuclear power reactors of 1000 MW capacity (nominal) each at Haripur in West Bengal.
- (b) There is no proposal to set up a nuclear power plant in the Ganga Sagar area.
- (c)& (d) Do not arise in view of 'b' above.

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