

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF POWER  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.716  
ANSWERED ON 07.12.2023**

**DECREASE IN ELECTRICITY DEMAND**

**†716. SHRI MALOOK NAGAR:**

**Will the Minister of POWER  
be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether electricity demand has been decreased in various parts of the country during the last one year;**
- (b) if so, the details of demand and supply of electricity across the country during the last two years; and**
- (c) the reasons for decrease in demand of electricity in the country?**

**A N S W E R**

**THE MINISTER OF POWER AND NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY**

**(SHRI R.K. SINGH)**

**(a) to (c) : No, Sir. The demand of power has increased in different parts of the country during the last one year. The details of Power Supply Position in various regions of the country during the year 2022-23 (April, 2022 to March, 2023) as compared to 2021-22 (April, 2021 to March, 2022) and the Power Supply Position during the year 2023-24 (April, 2023 to October, 2023) as compared to corresponding period of the previous year 2022 (April, 2022 to October, 2022) are given at Annexure.**

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**ANNEXURE**

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 716 ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 07.12.2023**

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The details of Power Supply Position in various regions of the country during the year 2022-23 (April, 2022 to March, 2023) as compared to 2021-22 (April, 2021 to March, 2022)

Region	( Figures in MU net )					
	April,2022 - March,2023		April,2021 - March,2022		% Change	
	Energy Requirement (MU)	Energy Supplied (MU)	Energy Requirement (MU)	Energy Supplied (MU)	Energy Requirement (%)	Energy Supplied (%)
<b>Northern Region</b>	463,088	458,640	417,934	413,915	10.8	10.8
<b>Western Region</b>	475,743	475,157	429,065	428,683	10.9	10.8
<b>Southern Region</b>	371,467	370,900	350,678	350,421	5.9	5.8
<b>Eastern Region</b>	182,791	180,888	164,054	162,973	11.4	11
<b>North-Eastern Region</b>	18,758	18,680	18,079	18,033	3.8	3.6
<b>All India</b>	1,511,847	1,504,264	1,379,812	1,374,024	9.6	9.5

The Power Supply Position during the year 2023 (April, 2023 to October, 2023) as compared to corresponding period of the previous year 2022 (April, 2022 to October, 2022)

Regions	( Figures in MU net )					
	April, 2023 - October, 2023		April, 2022 - October, 2022		% Change	
	Energy Requirement	Energy Supplied	Energy Requirement	Energy Supplied	Energy Requirement	Energy Supplied
<b>Northern Region</b>	302,137	300,889	297,268	294,208	1.6	2.3
<b>Western Region</b>	300,251	299,936	269,359	268,874	11.5	11.6
<b>Southern Region</b>	244,141	243,915	210,868	210,312	15.8	16.0
<b>Eastern Region</b>	123,055	122,197	116,275	114,941	5.8	6.3
<b>North-Eastern Region</b>	12,649	12,407	11,673	11,615	8.4	6.8
<b>All India</b>	982,233	979,344	905,443	899,950	8.5	8.8

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