

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 860**

TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.11. 2019

**ATAL JYOTI YOJANA**

860. SHRI HEMANT TUKARAM GODSE

Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) the targets set under the Atal Jyoti Yojana for installation of street lights in the country including Maharashtra; and

(b) the status of its implementation and achievements made thereunder especially in Maharashtra as on date, State/UT-wise?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE (I/C) FOR NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY, POWER and MoS  
for SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

(SHRI R. K. SINGH)

(a) Under Phase-I of Atal Jyoti Yojana (AJAY), the target was to install around 2000 solar street lights (SSLs) in each of the 169 parliamentary constituencies in the states of Assam, Bihar, Jharkhand, Odisha and Uttar Pradesh by 31 March 2018.

Under Phase-II of Atal Jyoti Yojana the target is to install 3.04 lakh SSLs in the following states/regions:

- i. States of Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Jharkhand, Odisha and Assam, which were covered in Phase-I of the Scheme.
- ii. Hilly states of Jammu & Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand.
- iii. North Eastern states including Sikkim.
- iv. Island UTs Andaman & Nicobar and Lakshadweep.
- v. Parliamentary Constituencies covering 48 Aspirational Districts of states other than those covered in (i) to (iii) above.

In four Aspirational Districts namely Nandurbar, Gadchiroli, Washim and Osmanabad of Maharashtra MNRE plans to install 5,500 SSLs under Phase-II of Atal Jyoti Yojana.

(b) Under Phase-I of Atal Jyoti Yojana 1,34,342 of solar street lights have been installed in the states of Assam, Bihar, Jharkhand, Odisha and Uttar Pradesh as on 31.10.2019.

Under Phase-II of Atal Jyoti Yojana 13,583 solar street lights have been installed as on 31.10.2019.

State-wise break-up of installations under Phase-I and Phase-II Schemes is placed at **Annexure**. For aspirational districts of Maharashtra covered under AJAY Phase-II, sanction is yet to be received for 25% of the cost of installation of Solar street lights in the concerned Parliamentary Constituencies from respective MPLADS Fund.

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## Annexure

Annexure- referred to in Reply to part (b) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 860 for 21/11/2019 regarding Atal Jyoti Yojana

### DETAILS OF SOLAR STREET LIGHTS INSTALLED UNDER ATAL JYOTI YOJANA PHASE-I AND PHASE-II SCHEMES

#### A. Solar street lights installed under Atal Jyoti Yojana (AJAY): Phase-I

S.No.	State	Total installation done till 31 <sup>st</sup> October 2019 (Nos.)
1	UP	78,722
2	Bihar	29693
3	Jharkhand	10,535
4	Odisha	8,733
5	Assam	6,659
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,34,342</b>

#### B. Solar street lights installed under Atal Jyoti Yojana (AJAY): Phase-II

S. No	State	Total installation done till 31 <sup>st</sup> October, 2019 (Nos.)
1	Uttar Pradesh	2,449
2	Bihar	3,812
3	Jharkhand	1,442
4	Odisha	2,028
5	Madhya Pradesh	663
6	Rajasthan	262
7	Uttarakhand	2,740
8	Gujarat	187
	<b>Total</b>	<b>13,583</b>