GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF POWER

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4906 TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.03.2021

ELECTRIFICATION OF VILLAGES

4906. SHRI S. VENKATESAN:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of villages or houses connected and yet to be connected with electricity line in Tamil Nadu, district-wise including Madurai; and
- (b) the details of average number of houses for which electricity is provided in these villages?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR POWER, NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT & ENTREPRENEURSHIP

(SHRI R.K. SINGH)

(a) & (b): As reported by the State Government of Tamil Nadu, as on 28.04.2018 all inhabited census villages in the State stand electrified. Further, State of Tamil Nadu had declared on Saubhagya portal that all the willing un-electrified households in the State had been electrified as on 31st March, 2019. So far, a total of 2.37 Crore domestic service connections have been provided to houses (including huts) in Tamil Nadu.

Further, State Government has reported that as and when an application for domestic service connection is received, the same is immediately being provided by the State.
