GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF POWER

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1625 TO BE ANSWERED ON 29.07.2021

CHANGE OF NAMES OF SCHEMES

1625. MS. RAMYA HARIDAS:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the names of a number of schemes has been changed by the Ministry during the last five years;

(b) if so, the names by which these schemes were being run previously along with the present names thereof;

(c) the reasons for changing the names of the schemes; and

(d) the details of benefits derived by changing the names of the schemes?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF POWER AND NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY

(SHRI R.K. SINGH)

(a) to (d): Yes, Sir. A number of different schemes were running for promoting energy conservation and energy efficiencies. As the overall objective of these schemes was common, these were merged into one consolidated scheme. The details of the schemes which have been merged into the consolidated scheme are given at Annexure.

The consolidation of the various schemes into one has resulted in channelizing the efforts towards promotion of energy conservation activities in a more effective and flexible manner. This has also led to simplification of the operational issues including better monitoring of the physical and financial progress along with smooth implementation. The flexible approach has also enabled better allocation of resources among the activities on need basis.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1625 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 29.07.2021

Details of schemes:

SI. No.	Name of Scheme till 2017	Name of the consolidated Scheme
1	Strengthening of State Designated Agencies (SDAs) to promote efficient use of energy and its conservation at State level.	Scheme for "Promoting Energy Efficiency Activities in Different Sectors of Indian Economy"
2	Demand Side Management (DSM) Initiatives	
3	Energy Efficiency & Technology Up- gradation in Small & Medium Enterprises (SMEs)	
4	Standards, Codes & Labeling for Appliances & Buildings	
5	Energy Conservation Awareness, Awards and Painting Competition	
