# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-491

ANSWERED ON-22/07/2021

#### **GREEN POWER**

#### 491. SHRIMATI MAHUA MOITRA

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

- (a) whether Solar Energy Corporation of India (SECI) is issuing tenders for Round-the-Clock (RTC) green power of coal combined renewable energy rather than natural gas combined renewable energy;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government proposes any holistic green transition strategy to focus on green power; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

#### **ANSWER**

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

### (SHRI R.K. SINGH)

- (a) & (b) Solar Energy Corporation of India Limited (SECI) has issued a tender for supply of Round-The-Clock (RTC) power from grid-connected renewable power projects complemented with power from any other source or storage. Power from any other source refers to power from any Power Generating Systems other than Renewable Power.
- (c) & (d) Government had set up a target for installed renewable power generation capacity of 175 GW by the year 2022 and has also issued a year wise trajectory for Renewable Purchase Obligation (RPO) to facilitate transition to Green Power.

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