

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
LOK SABHA
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PROGRESS MADE UNDER PM-KUSUM

1848. SHRI BALAK NATH

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

- (a) the total additional capacity that is likely to be added after modification of Pradhan Mantri Kisan Urja Suraksha evam Utthaan Mahabhiyan (PM-KUSUM) scheme in November, 2020; and
- (b) the progress report of the said scheme?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND POWER

(SHRI R.K. SINGH)

- (a) The PM-KUSUM scheme launched in March 2019 envisaged addition of 25.75 GW solar capacity in the country. With the scale-up and modification of the scheme in November 2020, the scheme aims to add 30.8 GW solar capacity.
- (b) The progress under the three components of the Scheme reported till 30.11.2021 is given below:
 - (i) Component-A: Solar power plants of total 4909 MW capacity have been sanctioned and plants of 20 MW capacity have been installed.
 - (ii) Component-B: A total of 3.59 lakh stand-alone solar pumps sanctioned of which 75,098 pumps have been installed.
 - (iii) Component-C: Sanction issued for solarization of 10.02 lakh existing grid connected agriculture pumps. A total of 1026 pumps have been solarized.
