

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF POWER
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.816
ANSWERED ON 02.12.2021**

IMPLEMENTATION OF UJALA SCHEME

816. SHRI JAYADEV GALLA:

**Will the Minister of POWER
be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has compiled a data of the number of metered connections for the implementation of Unnat Jyoti by Affordable LEDs for All (UJALA) Scheme;**
- (b) if so, the details of the number of such connections in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana;**
- (c) the number of LED bulbs distributed under the UJALA Scheme in Andhra Pradesh, district-wise;**
- (d) the details of the number of defected bulbs that have been reportedly distributed under UJALA Scheme; and**
- (e) the amount of energy targeted for saving along with the current amount of energy that has been saved by implementation of the said scheme?**

A N S W E R

THE MINISTER OF POWER AND NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY

(SHRI R.K. SINGH)

(a) & (b): Unnat Jyoti by Affordable LEDs for All (UJALA) programme is being implemented by Energy Efficiency Services Limited (EESL). EESL has not compiled data of the number of metered connections for implementation of UJALA Scheme. However, as per information furnished by Central Electricity Authority (CEA), the total number of metered consumers in Andhra Pradesh is 1,77,60,935 and in Telangana is 1,38,20,574.

(c): LED bulbs distributed under UJALA Scheme in the State of Andhra Pradesh District-wise are given at Annexure.

(d): No defective bulbs have been distributed under UJALA scheme. There is a provision for replacement of the defective LED bulbs within the warranty period of one year without any additional cost to the consumer. The reported bulb failure rate under UJALA scheme is less than 1%.

(e): UJALA being a voluntary Scheme, no target was set for energy saving. As on date, under the UJALA Scheme 37.78 Crore LED bulbs have been distributed resulting into energy saving of 47.775 Billion kwh per annum.

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (c) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 816
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State	District	As on 26.11.2021 LED Bulbs distributed by EESL
Andhra Pradesh	Ananthapur	13,89,716
	Chittoor	18,62,757
	East Godavari	26,04,254
	Guntur	22,19,137
	Kadapa	11,62,512
	Krishna	21,32,804
	Kurnool	15,80,645
	Nellore	14,33,069
	Prakasam	14,07,862
	Srikakulam	12,68,942
	Visakhapatnam	19,82,372
	Vizianagaram	11,17,215
	West Godavari	18,78,010