GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF POWER LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.888 ANSWERED ON 02.12.2021

VILLAGE ELECTRIFICATION UNDER DDUGJY

888. SHRI GAURAV GOGOI:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of rural households in Assam that have been covered under the village electrification project of Deendayal Upadhyaya Gram Jyoti Yojana (DDUGJY) during the last three years and the current year, constituency-wise;
- (b) the number of unelectrified, partially electrified and completely electrified villages in Assam, including Kaliabor during the said period;
- (c) the total number of schools, health centres, anganwadis, and other public institutions electrified under the rural electrification programme of DDUGJY in Assam, including Kaliabor;
- (d) the total number of streetlights set up, and the total number of village streets granted electric streetlights as part of DDUGJY in Assam, including Kaliabor; and
- (e) whether the Government proposes to introduce renewable energy sources under the DDUGJY scheme and if so, the details thereof and if not, the response of the Government thereto?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF POWER AND NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY

(SHRI R.K. SINGH)

(a) to (e):

Government of India launched the Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Gram Jyoti Yojana (DDUGJY) in December, 2014 for rural electrification works across the country. Saubhagya Scheme was launched was in October, 2017 with the objective of achieving Universal Household electrification for providing electricity connections to all willing un-electrified households by March, 2019. As reported by the State of Assam, all the inhabited census villages stand electrified, as on 28 April 2018.

As per the information made available by the State, 17,45,149 HHs were electrified in Assam by 31.03.2019. Further, 2,00,000 Households that were earlier unwilling, gave their willingness later to obtain electricity connections. They were also electrified under Saubhagya. Thereafter, the Govt. of India has also sanctioned in July, 2021, electrification of 4,80,249 Households that were unwilling earlier, but have opted for connections now.

DDUGJY and Saubhagya provide for electrification of households. Electrification of schools, health centres and other public institutions are to be carried out by the States under other schemes. DDUGJY and Saubhagya did not have provisions for Street lights, which are to be installed under other schemes.

The Constituency-wise details of households covered under DDUGJY under On Grid and Off Grid are given as Annexure I & II. Under DDUGJY scheme, Decentralized Distributed Generation (DDG) was executed for electrification of remote villages through solar PV Microgrid and standalone system. The scheme was executed for those villages where Conventional grid connectivity is either not feasible or cost effective. 14886 nos of Households have been electrified in 65 nos. of villages under DDG Microgrids, while 26822 nos. of Households were electrified in 348 villages under DDG Standalone systems.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (e) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 888 ANSWERED IN LOK SABHA ON 02.12.2021

Constituency-wise and year-wise details of households covered under DDUGJY (On Grid)

SI No.	Name of District	Constituency Name	No. of HHs Covered			
			2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	Total
1	Dima Hasao	Autonomous District	4722	2284	531	7537
2	Karbi Anglong	Autonomous District	9348	4521	1051	14920
3	Barpeta	Barpeta	18716	9051	2105	29872
4	Nalbari	Barpeta	2666	1289	300	4255
5	Bongaigaon	Barpeta	12870	6224	1447	20541
6	Dhubri	Dhubri	14315	6923	1610	22848
7	Goalpara	Dhubri	9253	4475	1041	14769
8	Tinsukia	Dibrugarh	18488	8942	2079	29509
9	Dibrugarh	Dibrugarh	7027	3398	790	11215
10	Nalbari	Gauhati	2666	1289	300	4255
11	Goalpara	Gauhati	9254	4475	1041	14770
12	Kamrup Metro	Gauhati	5876	2841	661	9378
13	Kamrup Rural	Gauhati	7193	3479	809	11481
14	Jorhat	Jorhat	11630	5624	1308	18562
15	Sivsagar	Jorhat	29598	14314	3329	47241
16	Golaghat	Kaliabor	7138	3452	803	11393
17	Nagaon	Kaliabor	17483	8455	1966	27904
18	Hailakandi	Karimganj	21325	10313	2398	34036
19	Karimganj	Karimganj	8272	4001	930	13203
20	Barpeta	Kokrajhar	18716	9052	2105	29873
21	Chirang	Kokrajhar	6489	3138	730	10357
22	Baksa	Kokrajhar	15125	7315	1701	24141
23	Kokrajhar	Kokrajhar	13037	6305	1466	20808
24	Tinsukia	Lakhimpur	18487	8943	2079	29509
25	Dhemaji	Lakhimpur	9695	4689	1090	15474
26	Lakhimpur	Lakhimpur	6457	3123	726	10306
27	Dibrugarh	Lakhimpur	7027	3399	790	11216
28	Nalbari	Mangaldoi	2666	1289	300	4255
29	Kamrup Rural	Mangaldoi	7194	3479	809	11482
30	Darrang	Mangaldoi	15248	7374	1715	24337
31	Udalguri	Mangaldoi	18352	8875	2064	29291
32	Morigaon	Nagaon	4704	2275	529	7508
33	Nagaon	Nagaon	17484	8455	1966	27905
34	Cachar	Silchar	26127	12636	2938	41701
35	Lakhimpur	Tezpur	6458	3123	726	10307
36	Sonitpur	Tezpur	19283	9325	2169	30777
	Total	-	430389	208145	48402	686936

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Constituency-wise and year-wise details of households covered under DDUGJY (Off Grid)

		(Off Grid) No. of HHs Cov					
SI.	District	Constituency	2018-	2019-	2020-	Total	
No.	District	Name	19	20	21		
1	Dima Hasao	Autonomous District	2275	315	30	2620	
2	Karbi Anglong	Autonomous District	3286	455	44	3785	
3	Barpeta	Barpeta	1344	186	18	1548	
4	Nalbari	Barpeta	263	36	3	302	
5	Bongaigaon	Barpeta	476	66	6	548	
6	Dhubri	Dhubri	10005	1384	133	11522	
7	Goalpara	Dhubri	3786	524	50	4360	
8	Tinsukia	Dibrugarh	668	92	9	769	
9	Dibrugarh	Dibrugarh	333	46	4	383	
10	Nalbari	Gauhati	263	36	3	302	
11	Goalpara	Gauhati	3786	524	50	4360	
12	Kamrup Rural	Gauhati	524	72	7	603	
13	Jorhat	Jorhat	1624	225	22	1871	
14	Hailakandi	Karimganj	85	12	1	98	
15	Barpeta	Kokrajhar	1344	186	18	1548	
16	Kokrajhar	Kokrajhar	302	42	4	348	
17	Tinsukia	Lakhimpur	668	93	9	770	
18	Dhemaji	Lakhimpur	1542	213	20	1775	
19	Lakhimpur	Lakhimpur	200	28	3	231	
20	Dibrugarh	Lakhimpur	334	46	4	384	
21	Nalbari	Mangaldoi	263	36	3	302	
22	Kamrup Rural	Mangaldoi	524	73	7	604	
23	Morigaon	Nawgong	259	36	3	298	
24	Cachar	Silchar	1359	188	18	1565	
25	Lakhimpur	Tezpur	201	28	3	232	
26	Sonitpur	Tezpur	506	70	7	583	
	Total		36220	5012	479	41711	
