

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3150

TO BE ANSWERED ON 4th August, 2022

North East Gas Grid Project

3150. SHRI VINCENT H. PALA:

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) the updated details on the status of works underway or pending under the North East Gas Grid project;
- (b) the details of the funds allocated and utilised since its convergence with the Pradhan Mantri Urja Ganga Project; and
- (c) the details on the number of districts covered under the project, State/UT-wise?

ANSWER

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री

(श्री रामेश्वर तेली)

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
(SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)

(a) to (c) Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (PNGRB) has authorized 1,656 km long North East Natural Gas Pipeline Grid to Indradhanush Gas Grid Limited. The North East Natural Gas Grid (NEGG) Project connecting all the North Eastern states to National Gas Grid through Barauni-Guwahati natural gas pipeline has been taken up as a part of “Pradhan Mantri Urja Ganga” scheme. NEGG Project runs through 12 districts of Assam, 1 district of Arunachal Pradesh, 2 districts of Manipur, 4 districts of Meghalaya, 2 districts of Mizoram, 2 districts of Nagaland, 2 districts of Sikkim, 7 districts of Tripura, and 2 districts of West Bengal. Total capital expenditure of the project is Rs. 9265 Crore including Viability Gas Funding (VGF) of Rs. 5559 crore.

As on 26th July, 2022, 411 km of mainline welding and 324 km of pipeline lowering out of the total length of 1656 km of the NEGG have been completed. Thus North East Gas Grid (NEGG) project has achieved 50.17% physical target and expenditure incurred is Rs. 2236.97 crore including Rs. 1030 crore VGF. Completion is scheduled for March, 2024.
