

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF POWER
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.828
ANSWERED ON 21.07.2022**

OUTSTANDING DUES TO POWER FIRMS

828. SHRI MANICKAM TAGORE B.:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that DISCOMs owed over Rs. one lakh crore to power generation firms as on date apart from disputed amounts;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether it is also a fact that the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (CERC) has asked the electricity exchanges to cap prices at Rs. twelve per unit amid a surge in power demand and the rising cost of imported coal; and**
- (d) if so, the details thereof?**

A N S W E R

THE MINISTER OF POWER AND NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY

(SHRI R.K. SINGH)

(a) & (b) : As per data provided by the power sector Generating companies, on the PRAAPTI Portal, total over dues of DISCOMs towards Central Power Generation Stations, Independent Power Producers (IPPs) and Renewable Energy (RE) Generators and Transmission Companies (Transcos) as on 12.07.2022 are Rs.1,13,930 Cr. The details are placed at Annexure.

(c) & (d) : Recognizing that the increase in power prices has not led to a corresponding increase in the supply of power in Power Exchanges in wake of a significant increase in post – COVID electricity demand, the CERC has, in their order dated 1st April, 2022, and thereafter modified on 6th May, 2022 and 30th June, 2022, directed that the Power supplier can bid for power in the Power exchange in the range of Re. 0/KWH to Rs. 12/KWH only till 30th September, 2022.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 828 ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 21.07.2022

Over dues of States/Discoms towards Gencos (CPSE, IPP, RE) and TRANSCOs excluding State Owned Gencos and Transcos as on 12.07.2022						
(Rs. Cr.)						
Sl. No.	State	CPSEs	IPPs	REs	TRANSCOs	Total
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	3	-	-	-	3
2	Andhra Pradesh	345	1757	7843	8	9953
3	Arunachal Pradesh	0	-	-	2	2
4	Assam	1	-	2	46	49
5	Bihar	20	584	90	142	836
6	Chandigarh	78	-	-	-	78
7	Chhattisgarh	1	155	27	-	183
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	4	-	-	-	4
9	Daman & Diu	1	402	-	-	403
10	Delhi	470	5	-	50	525
11	Goa	10	-	-	2	12
12	Gujarat	24	643	268	-	935
13	Haryana	41	645	-	5	691
14	Himachal Pradesh	8	53	-	36	97
15	Jammu & Kashmir	7945	9	-	1685	9639
16	Jharkhand	4091	-	-	38	4129
17	Karnataka	368	841	2733	10	3952
18	Kerala	61	501	-	0	562
19	Lakshadweep	-	-	-	-	-
20	Madhya Pradesh	514	2895	2373	0	5782
21	Maharashtra	218	21017	1477	1	22713
22	Manipur	50	-	-	22	72
23	Meghalaya	608	-	-	4	612
24	Mizoram	15	-	-	7	22
25	Nagaland	0	-	-	1	1
26	Odisha	0	251	3	-	254
27	Puducherry	19	-	-	-	19
28	Punjab	24	517	201	2	744
29	Rajasthan	321	959	1155	-	2435
30	Sikkim	13	-	-	22	35
31	Tamil Nadu	7908	10663	2828	930	22329
32	Telangana	1094	12708	3442	117	17361
33	Tripura	137	-	-	1	138
34	Uttar Pradesh	350	7603	20	848	8821
35	Uttarakhand	3	-	-	-	3
36	West Bengal	0	533	-	3	536
	Total	24745	62741	22462	3982	113930
