

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF POWER**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1656  
ANSWERED ON 05.12.2024**

**ELECTRIFICATION OF REMOTE AND TRIBAL AREAS**

**1656. SHRI DEVUSINH CHAUHAN:**

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

- (a) the details of the progress made by the Government in electrification of remote and tribal areas in Gujarat; and**
- (b) the details of its impact on local economies?**

**A N S W E R**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER**

**(SHRI SHRIPAD NAIK)**

**(a) & (b) : As reported by the State of Gujarat, all inhabited villages and eligible households of remote and tribal areas of Gujarat are electrified.**

**Electricity serves as a crucial input to many business and household activities. State has reported that electrification has had a positive impact on the standard of living for residents in remote and tribal areas, employment opportunities, agricultural activities and educational outcomes.**

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