

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF POWER**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2906
ANSWERED ON 12.12.2024**

ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION COMPANIES

2906. SMT. ANITA SUBHADARSHINI:

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

(a) whether it is a fact that the State Electricity Distribution Companies in the country have an outstanding dues of about 1.40 lakh crores of the Power Generation companies at present;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government has any proposal to initiate Liquidation Scheme for State Electricity distribution companies for paying their outstanding dues to the Power Generation companies; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

A N S W E R

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER

(SHRI SHRIPAD NAIK)

(a) to (d) : Government of India has notified the Electricity (Late Payment Surcharge and Related Matters) Rules, 2022 (LPS Rules, 2022) on 3rd June, 2022. The Rules provides that all the dues, including late payments surcharges, upto 3rd June 2022 were considered as arrears which were to be rescheduled and the distribution licensee shall pay such dues in equated monthly instalments (EMIs) as per LPS Rules, starting from August 2022. 13 States reported arrears amounting to Rs. 1,39,947 Cr. as on 03.06.2022 and rescheduled them into EMIs.

As a result, after payment of 29 EMIs by the distribution utilities, including pre-payment of legacy dues by some utilities, the outstanding dues have reduced to Rs. 24,684 Cr. as on 06.12.2024. State-wise details placed at Annexure.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2906 ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 12.12.2024

Details of State-wise outstanding dues as on 03.06.2022 and balance outstanding dues as on 06.12.2024

Sl. No.	State	Name of Discom	Total Overdue Amount as on 03.06.2022 as communicated by Discoms	Total Legacy Dues Paid/ Settled as on 06.12.2024	Balance Legacy Dues as on 06.12.2024
1	Andhra Pradesh	Andhra Pradesh Central Power Distribution Company Limited	2,224	18,310	-
		Andhra Pradesh Eastern Power Distribution Company Limited	3,252		
		Andhra Pradesh Southern Power Distribution Company Limited	12,834		
2	Rajasthan	Ajmer Vidyut Vitran Nigam Ltd.	4,096	4,096	-
		Jodhpur Vidyut Vitran Nigam Ltd.	8,874	8,733	141
		Jaipur Vidyut Vitran Nigam Ltd.	9,264	9,076	188
3	Telangana	Telangana State Northern Power Distribution Company	2,977	2,787	190
		Telangana State Southern Power Distribution Company	6,973	6,119	854

4	Jammu and Kashmir	Jammu And Kashmir Power Distribution Department	14,164	12,720	1,444
5	Manipur	Manipur State Power Distribution Company Ltd.	161	161	-
6	Chhattisgarh	Chhattisgarh State Power Distribution Company Limited	4,162	3,017	1,145
7	Jharkhand	Jharkhand Bijli Vitran Nigam Limited	6,000	5,413	587
8	Tamil Nadu	Tamil Nadu Generation & Distribution Corporation Limited	17,734	11,274	6,460
9	Maharashtra	Maharashtra State Electricity Distribution Co. Ltd	17,320	11,350	5,970
10	Karnataka	Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation Limited	1,247	812	435
		Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Ltd.	7,529	4,642	2,887
		Hubli Electricity Supply Company Ltd.	2,528	2,163	365
		Gulbarga Electricity Supply Company Ltd.	2,129	1,565	564
		Mangalore Electricity Supply Company Ltd.	125	76	50
11	Madhya Pradesh	Madhya Pradesh Power Management Co Ltd	8,500	6,206	2,294
12	Bihar	North Bihar Power Distribution Company Ltd.	430	430	-
		South Bihar Power Distribution Company Ltd.	662	662	-
13	Uttar Pradesh	Uttar Pradesh Power Corporation Ltd	6,762	5,651	1,111
Total			1,39,947	1,15,263	24,684
