

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF POWER**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2829
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.08.2015**

FEEDER SEGREGATION SCHEME

2829. SHRI DILIPKUMAR MANSUKHLAL GANDHI:

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

- (a) the details of the feeder segregation scheme launched by the Government;**
- (b) whether the Government proposes to grant financial assistance to Maharashtra for Gaothan Feeder Separation Scheme (GFSS); and**
- (c) if so, the details thereof?**

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**THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR POWER,
COAL AND NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY**

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) : Government of India has approved Deendayal Upadhyaya Gram Jyoti Yojana (DDUGJY) with total cost of Rs. 43033 crore in December, 2014 for separation of agriculture and non-agriculture feeders facilitating judicious rostering of supply to agricultural & non-agricultural consumers in the rural areas, strengthening and augmentation of sub-transmission & distribution infrastructure in rural areas, including metering at distribution transformers/feeders/consumers.

(b) & (c) : Government of India grants financial assistance to States under DDUGJY only on the basis of Detailed Project Reports (DPRs) submitted by the respective States. However, Rural Electrification Corporation (REC) sanctioned feeder separation scheme namely Gaothan Feeder Separation in the State of Maharashtra with total loan component of Rs.2123.44 crore during the period 2006-13 and as on date utility has availed disbursement of Rs.1918.45 crore against this scheme from REC.
