

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4048
TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.08.2015

EXTERNAL ASSISTANCE FOR SOLAR POWER PARKS

4048. SHRI RAHUL SHEWALE:
SHRI NAGENDRA KUMAR PRADHAN:
SHRI VINAYAK BHURAO RAUT:
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DR. SHRIKANT EKNATH SHINDE:

Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) has agreed to fund solar power parks in the country to boost India's green energy plan and if so, the details thereof including the funds likely to be invested for the purpose;
- (b) the details of projects and areas identified for the said purpose;
- (c) whether other institutions such as Germany based KfW Bankengruppe, World Bank, etc. have also offered their assistance for setting up of solar parks in India; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the decisions taken so far by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

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

(a): No, Madam.

(b): Does not arise.

(c)&(d): Yes, Madam. Ministry has approached for assistance from World Bank and Asian Development Bank for setting up of Solar Park in several States like Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh, Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, Kerala, Chhattisgarh, Rajasthan and Tamil Nadu.
