GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 665

TO BE ANSWERED ON 23.07.2015

INVESTMENT IN NRE PROJECTS

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

- (a) whether the Union Government proposes to make investment for New and Renewable Energy project in the State of Bihar including Valmiki Nagar;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not. the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

(a)&(b): The Ministry of New and Renewable Energy has been implementing various schemes / programmes, throughout the country including the State of Bihar for installation of renewable energy projects. Details of the schemes/programmes are given at Annexure.

(c): Does not arise.

Annexure referred to in reply to parts (a)&(b) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 665 for 23.07.2015 regarding Investment in NRE Projects

Details of the Renewable Energy Schemes / Programmes implemented in the country.

1. GRID-INTERACTIVE/ OFF-GRID RENEWABLE POWER:

- Wind Power : MW-scale Wind Farms/Aero generators/ Hybrid systems
- o **Bio-power:** Biomass power/ Cogeneration
- Small Hydro Power: Small hydro power plants upto 25 MW capacity;
 Watermills/Micro hydel plants
- Solar Power: Grid-interactive -Solar Thermal and SPV power generation plants, and off-grid/ decentralized systems for various applications under National Solar Mission.

2. RENEWABLE ENERGY FOR RURAL APPLICATIONS:

- Remote Village Electrification Programme: provision of lighting/ electricity in the unelectrified remote villages/ hamlets
- o Biomass Gasifier for Rural Energy / Industrial Energy.
- Biogas Programme: setting up of Family Type biogas plants for cooking/ lighting/ manure/ small scale power generation
- Solar Thermal Systems: deployment of decentralized solar thermal systems/ devices (mainly solar cookers / driers for cooking, drying farm produce) under National Solar Mission.

3. RENEWABLE ENERGY FOR URBAN, INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL APPLICATIONS:

- Biomass(non-bagasse) cogeneration/ U&I Waste to Energy
- Solar water heating systems for domestic, institutional, commercial/ industrial applications under National Solar Mission.
- Solar air heating/ steam generation systems for community cooking/other applications in institutions and industry under National Solar Mission.
- Green Buildings incorporating active renewable energy systems and passive designs.
- Solar Cities Planning for reducing their conventional energy consumption through energy conservation and use of renewable energy devices/ systems.

4. RESEARCH, DESIGN & DEVELOPMENT:

 Supporting research and development projects at premier institutions and industries on different aspects of new and renewable energy technologies.
