

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1424
TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.12.2015

Clearance for Hydro Power Projects

1424. SHRI TAMRADHWAJ SAHU:

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of hydro projects granted clearance by the Government during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise including Uttarakhand;
- (b) whether the Supreme Court has given any directions related to hydro power projects; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

(SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

(a) Twenty one (21) hydro power projects have been granted environment clearance during the last 3 years including current year. No hydropower project has been granted environmental clearance in the State of Uttarakhand during the said period. The list of these 21 projects is annexed.

(b)to (c) Hon'ble Supreme Court (SC) vide its order dated 13.8.2013 has directed not to grant any further environmental and forest clearances in the State of Uttarakhand until further orders. However, Hon'ble SC vide its order dated 12.10.2015 has clarified that the order dated 13.8.2013 prohibiting approval of hydroelectric power projects by Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change (MoEF & CC) in the State of Uttarakhand is limited to 24 projects only. Five (5) hydropower projects have not been considered by the Ministry due to ban imposed by Hon'ble SC which are now being considered in view of Hon'ble SC order dated 12.10.2015.

**Annexure referred to in part (a) of reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1424 on
“Clearance for Hydro Power Projects”**

Sl. No	Name of the Project	Date of issue of Clearance	State
2012			
1	Dhamwari Sunda HEP (70 MW) in District: Shimla by M/s Dhamwari Power Co. Pvt. Ltd.	15.3.2012	Himachal Pradesh
2	Nyamjang Chhu HEP (780 MW) Project in District: Tawang by M/s. NJC Hydro Power Ltd	19.4.2012	Arunachal Pradesh
3	Dibbin HEP (120 MW) project in District West Kameng, Arunachal Pradesh by M/s. KSK Dibbin Hydro Energy Pvt. Ltd	23.7.2012	Arunachal Pradesh
4	Miyar HEP (120 MW) in District Lahu & Spiti, Himachal Pradesh by M/s. Moser Baer Projects Pvt. Ltd	30.7.2012	Himachal Pradesh
5	Ratle HEP (850 MW) project in Kishtwar District of Jammu & Kashmir by M/s. Ratle Hydro Electric Project Pvt. Ltd	12.12.2012	Jammu & Kashmir
2013			
6	Loktak Downstream HEP (66 MW) project in Tamenglong District of Manipur by M/s. NHPC Ltd	16.1.2013	Manipur
7	Dhulasidh HEP (66 MW) in Hamirpur & Kangra Districts of Himachal Pradesh by M/s. SJVN Ltd	21.2.2013	Himachal Pradesh
8	Gongri HEP (144 MW) project in West Kameng District of Arunachal Pradesh by M/s. Dirang Energy Pvt. Ltd	19.3.2013	
9	Seli HEP (400 MW) project in Lahul & Spiti Districts of Himachal Pradesh by M/s. Seli Hydroelectric Power Company Ltd	3.7.2013	Himachal Pradesh
10	Baglihar HEP (450 MW) in Ramban Districts of Jammu & Kashmir by M/s. J&K State Power Development Corporation	23.7.2013	Jammu & Kashmir
11	Nafra HEP (120 MW) project in West Kameng District of Arunachal Pradesh by M/s. SEW Nafra Power Corporation Ltd	19.8.2013	Arunachal Pradesh
12	Luhri HEP (612 MW) project in Shimla, Kullu & Mandi Districts of Himachal Pradesh by M/s. SJVN Ltd	19.8.2013	Himachal Pradesh
13	Panan HEP (300 MW) project in North Sikkim District of Sikkim by M/s. Himagiri Hydro Energy Pvt. Ltd	2.9.2013	Sikkim
14	New Ganderbal HEP (93 MW) project in Ganderbal District of Jammu & Kashmir by M/s. J&K State Power Development Corporation Ltd	27.9.2013	Jammu & Kashmir

2014			
15	Teesta-IV HEP (520 MW) project in North Sikkim District of Sikkim by M/s. NHPC Ltd	9.1.2014	Sikkim
2015			
16	Chuzachen HEP (110 MW) Project in District: East Sikkim of Sikkim by M/s. Gati Infrastructure Pvt. Ltd	8.4.2015	Sikkim

17	Dibang Multipurpose Project (2880 MW) in District: Lower Dibang Valley of Arunachal Pradesh by M/s. NHPC Ltd	19.5.2015	Arunachal Pradesh
18	Simang-I HEP (67 MW) Project in District: East Siang of Arunachal Pradesh by M/s. Lower Simang Power Pvt. Ltd	3.8.2015	Arunachal Pradesh
19	Pauk HEP (145 MW) Project in District West Siang Arunachal Pradesh by M/s. Pauk Hydro Power Pvt. Ltd	10.11.2015	Arunachal Pradesh
20	Tato-I HEP (186 MW) Project in District West Siang Arunachal Pradesh by M/s. Siyota Hydro Power Pvt. Ltd	10.11.2015	Arunachal Pradesh
21	Heo HEP (240 MW) Project in District West Siang of Arunachal Pradesh by M/s. Heo Hydro Power Pvt. Ltd	10.11.2015	Arunachal Pradesh
