

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2815
TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.12.2015

SELF RELIANCE IN NUCLEAR POWER SECTORS

2815. SHRI SADASHIV LOKHANDE:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any plan to make India self reliant in nuclear power sector to ensure nuclear autonomy and if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) the time by which India is likely to be self reliant in nuclear power sector?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (Dr. JITENDRA SINGH):

- (a)&(b) India is already self reliant with comprehensive capabilities in all aspects of indigenous Pressurised Heavy Water Reactors (PHWRs) and associated fuel cycle. Indian industry has also been manufacturing and supplying the components / equipment to exacting standards for the indigenous nuclear power programme.
