

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF POWER**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1242  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.03.2016**

**NHPC**

**1242. DR. SUNIL BALIRAM GAIKWAD:  
DR. J. JAYAVARDHAN:  
SHRI BIDYUT BARAN MAHATO:  
SHRI S.R. VIJAYAKUMAR:  
SHRI SUDHEER GUPTA:  
SHRI ASHOK SHANKARRAO CHAVAN:  
KUNWAR HARIBANSH SINGH:  
SHRI GAJANAN KIRTIKAR:**

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

- (a) whether the National Hydroelectric Power Corporation (NHPC) proposes to acquire hydropower plants of private firms;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof, project-wise along with the total capacity of these hydropower plants along with the funds required for this purpose;**
- (c) whether the NHPC has assessed the viability of these power projects;**
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and**
- (e) the time by which these power projects are likely to be acquired?**

**A N S W E R**

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

**( SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL )**

**(a) : No, Madam.**

**(b) to (e) : Does not arise.**

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