GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2164

TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.03.2016

SOLAR WATER HEATER SYSTEMS

2164. SHRI ANTO ANTONY:

SHRI A. ARUNMOZHITHEVAN:

SHRI SANKAR PRASAD DATTA:

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

- (a) the number of solar thermal/heating power projects plants set up and functional in the country at present, State/UT-wise;
- (b) whether any financial assistance is given by the Government for installation of Solar Water Heater Systems(SWHSs) in the country;
- (c) if so, the details of the assistance given to various States during the last three years, year wise and State/UT-wise;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to enhance the assistance being provided for installation SWHSs; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

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

- (a): presently four numbers Mega Watt scale solar grid connected power projects are commissioned in the country. Out of the four, three projects have been setup in the state of Rajasthan and one is in Andhra Pradesh.
- **(b):** The Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) is not providing any financial assistance for purchasing of Solar Water Heater Systems (SWHSs) in the country from 1st October 2014 onwards.
- (c): The details of the assistance during the last three years, State/UT-wise are enclosed in Annexure.

(**d**)&(**e**): No, Madam.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (c) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2164 for 10.03.2016 regarding Solar Water Heater Systems

Funds released to State Governments /Union Terretories during last three years				
		(Rs. in Lakhs)		
S. No.	States/UTs	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15
1	Andhra Pradesh	200.00		65.60
2	Arunachal Pradesh			
3	Assam	138.81		
4	Chandigarh	1.00		4.54
5	Chhattisgarh	155.40	32.00	25.96
6	Delhi	39.75		
7	Goa			
8	Gujarat		469.09	638.14
9	Haryana			
10	Himachal Pradesh	200.00		64.15
11	Jammu & Kashmir	40.00	468.05	11.85
12	Jharkhand	50.00		
13	Karnataka			
14	Kerala			
15	Lakshadweep			
16	Madhya Pradesh	200.00		
17	Maharashtra		352.60	147.40
18	Manipur	292.80	100.00	
19	Meghalaya			
20	Mizoram	11.82	6.00	6.70
21	Nagaland	202.28		25.00
22	Orissa	50.00		
23	Puducherry			
24	Punjab			65.27
25	Rajasthan	196.14		29.18
26	Sikkim	20.00		
27	Tamilnadu	200.00	200.90	92.65
28	Tripura			
29	Uttar Pradesh	200.00		
30	Uttarakhand	364.23	139.22	64.03
31	West Bengal			
	TOTAL (Rs. in Lakhs)	2562.23	1767.86	1240.46