

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1916
TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.05.2016

SETTING UP OF NEW SOLAR PROJECTS

1916. SHRI BHARATHI MOHAN R.K.:

Will the Minister of New and Renewable Energy be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government plans to set up new solar projects in high level power generation with the support of foreign funding agencies;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State/UT- wise;
- (c) whether the various State Governments have submitted proposals seeking foreign assistance for providing electricity to all households with the subsidized rate;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government thereon, State-wise; and
- (e) the target set for generation of power for providing electricity to all households in the country, State-wise?

ANSWER

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

(a)&(b): Government is promoting solar power development in the country and foreign funding agencies are also encouraged to invest in solar projects.

(c): MNRE has not received proposals to provide electricity to all households at subsidized rates.

(d): Question does not arise.

(e): The Government has set a target of 100 GW solar power by 2022, which will help in providing electricity to households. State-wise capacities are fixed by the State Regulatory Commissions through Renewable Purchase Obligation (RPO). MNRE has prepared tentative RPO requirement which is given in Annexure.

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (e) OF LOK SABHA
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S. No.	States/UTs	Capacity required as per RPO upto 2021-22 (MW)
1.	Andhra Pradesh	5678
2.	Andaman & Nicobar	9
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	42
4.	Assam	713
5.	Bihar	2758
6.	Chhattisgarh	1923
7.	Chandigarh	56
8.	Daman & Diu	167
9.	Dadar & Nagar Haveli	442
10.	Delhi	1705
11.	Goa	306
12.	Gujarat	9796
13.	Haryana	3676
14.	Himachal Pradesh	585
15.	Jammu & Kashmir	1292
16.	Jharkhand	464
17.	Karnataka	6671
18.	Kerala	1400
19.	Lakshadweep	4
20.	Madhya Pradesh	6303
21.	Maharashtra	13270
22.	Manipur	120
23.	Mizoram	75
24.	Meghalaya	176
25.	Nagaland	54
26.	Orissa	2191
27.	Puducherry	202
28.	Punjab	3762
29.	Rajasthan	6953
30.	Sikkim	13
31.	Tamil Nadu	9398
32.	Telangana	4753
33.	Tripura	109
34.	Uttarakhand	608
35.	Uttar Pradesh	12124
36.	West Bengal	4223
	Total	102021