GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF POWER

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.724 TO BE ANSWERED ON 28.04.2016

UTILIZATION OF POWER BY PUBLIC/PRIVATE SECTOR

†724. SHRI GOPAL SHETTY:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the power generation units in the country are in a position to fully utilise their installed capacity;

- (b) if so, the details in this regard;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the details of the utilisation difference of installed capacity between public sector and private sector power generation units during the last three years till date, year-wise?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (d): The utilization of power generating station is dependent on a number of factors, like type / category of plant (hydro or thermal), design and age of the units, forced outages & planned maintenance, availability of water, availability of fuel, quality of fuel and schedule given by beneficiary states etc.

The details of the Plant load factor of Thermal and Nuclear power station for public sector (Central & State sector) and private sector during the last three years are given at Annex-I.

The details of Hydro generation during the last three years w.r.t. target comparing public sector (Central & State sector) and private sector is given at Annex-II.

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ANNEX-I

ANNEX REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 724 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 28.04.2016.

Sector	Fuel	%PLF		
		2015-16*	2014-15	2013-14
Central	Coal / Lignite	72.48	73.96	76.11
	Gas / Liq Fuel	24.53	26.07	28.18
	Nuclear	73.65	80.74	81.74
State	Coal / Lignite	55.41	59.83	59.00
	Gas / Liq Fuel	24.19	25.88	27.83
Pvt	Coal / Lignite	58.99	60.2	61.42
	Gas/ Liq Fuel	18.55	11.06	18.0
All India	Coal / Lignite	62.28	64.46	65.5
	Gas / Liq Fuel	22.51	20.79	24.8
	Nuclear	73.65	80.74	81.74

* Provisional figure

Generation from stations up to 25 MW are not being monitored in CEA.

ANNEX-II

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2013-14 2015-16 2014-15 Sector Capacity as on 31.03.16 Target Generation % Target Generation % Target Generation % (MU) * (MU) Achieve-(MU) (MU) Achieve-(MU) (MU) Achieve-(WW) ment ment ment Central 14455.72 48925 56695.85 115.88 47828 50959.81 106.55 47331 51395.73 108.59 66505 67544.68 63259 State 25191.70 53123.60 79.88 65142 103.69 73456.40 116.12 3154.00 12570 9995.41 **Private** 11521.71 91.66 11327 10739.16 94.81 11673 85.63 Import from 4800 4800 5007.74 4800 Bhutan 5244.74 109.27 104.33 5597.90 116.62

* PROVISIONAL BASED ON ACTUAL-CUM-ASSESMENT

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