

**Japanese Assistance for Kathalguri Thermal Power Plant**

4525. SHRI UDDHAB BARMAN : Will the Minister of POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state :

(a) whether approval has been accorded to the Kathalguri thermal power plant in Assam

(b) if so, the time by which the plant is likely to be commissioned;

(c) whether there is any proposal to finance this plant with Japanese assistance;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the impact of the present devaluation of rupee on this project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI KALP NATH RAI) : (a) Yes, Sir

(b) Kathalguri Gas Based Combined Cycle Power Project is likely to be commissioned by August, 1994

(c) Yes, Sir

(d) The Overseas Economic Co-operation Fund of Japan has committed two loans extending a financial assistance of Yen 43 552 billion

(e) The impact of present devaluation of rupee on this Project has been estimated at Rs. 116.286 crores.

**Allocation of Petroleum Products to States**

4527. SHRI RAMCHANDRA VEERAPPA · SHRI SYED SHAHABUD-DIN : Will the Minister of PET-

ROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state :

(a) the quantity of kerosene, petrol and diesel allocated to various States/Union Territories, and the actual supplies made during 1990-91 separately;

(b) the criteria adopted therefor;

(c) the quantity of kerosene and diesel tentatively allocated to various States/Union Territories for the current financial year and the quantities released during the first quarter;

(d) whether some States such as Bihar have requested for an enhanced quota in order to meet the local demand, and

(e) if so, the action taken thereon "

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI S. KRISHNA KUMAR) : (a) to (c) SKO is allocated to State/UTs on a historical basis. Petrol and Diesel are not allocated to States/UTs but are off taken on basis of sales

(Figs in TMT)

1990-91 Product	Allocation	Supplies/Sales
SKO	8386	8415
MS	—	3540
HSD	—	21079
April-June, 1991		
SKO	1963	1947
HSD	—	5398