

Electricity Share of DESU from Northern Grid

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(a) the comparative imposition of power cuts on the industrial commercial and domestic consumption since May, 1988;

(b) the percentage of the actual demand of electricity met in these areas of consumption by the Delhi Electric Supply Undertaking since the beginning of 1988;

(c) the percentage of Delhi's share of electricity being actually received by DESU from the Northern grid and the reasons for the short supply; and

(d) the progress made so far in the implementation of the programme, if any chalked out to augment the electricity supply in the city?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRI KALPNATH RAI):
(a) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

(b) The power requirement of all categories of consumers is met by Delhi Electric Supply Undertaking, by and large, fully.

(c) Delhi Electric Supply Undertaking has received its full share of power from the Northern Grid as is evident from the table given below:-

(All figures in MU)

Supply to Delhi from	May, 88		June, 88	
	Entitlement	Actual drawal	Entitlement	Actual drawal
Badarpur TPS	320.6	320.6	289.1	289.1
Bara Siul HPS	12.1	12.1	8.2	8.2
Salal HPS	29.8 (ad hoc)	29.8	26.7 (ad hoc)	26.7
Singrauli STPS	132.5	184.5	145.3	189.0

(d) To meet the growing demand in Delhi, steps have been taken to improve the performance of IP and Badarpur power stations, strengthening the transmission and distribution systems in Delhi, and setting up of 135 MW capacity at Rajghat power station.

In addition, the National Capital Power Project of 840 MW has been sanctioned to

meet the long term power requirements of the National Capital.

The gas based power station at Dadri with a capacity of 600 MW is also envisaged

Oil Exploration Contracts with Foreign Companies

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