

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

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SETTING UP OF HIGH VOLTAGE SUB STATION BY PGC
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Power Grid Corporation of India has accorded approval to set up additional high voltage sub-station in Meerut, Allahabad and Bhiwadi;
- (b) whether the Government propose to set up additional high voltage sub-stations in the backward and rural areas in Maharashtra for uninterrupted supply of power;
- (c) if so, the details thereof, location-wise; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

- (a) : POWERGRID is establishing 400/220 kV Extra High Voltage sub-stations at Meerut under Tehri Transmission System and 400 kV sub-stations at Allahabad and Bhiwadi as part of system improvement schemes in Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan respectively.
- (b) to (d) : POWERGRID generally constructs a bulk power transmission system upto a place from where State Electricity Boards can construct their transmission lines for supply of power to different areas. The location of its sub-station is decided in consultation with the beneficiary SEBs. POWERGRID proposes to construct a 400 kV sub-station at Bhandara in Maharashtra for transmitting its share of power from Seepat Super Thermal Power Project being constructed by NTPC in the State of Madhya Pradesh. Suitable lines for supply of power from Bhandara sub-station to different areas will be constructed by MSEB.