

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

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EXPANSION OF THERMAL POWER PLANTS
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) the name of Thermal Power Plants proposed to be expanded during the Ninth Five Year Plan;
- (b) whether the Thermal Power Plants at Talcher is also proposed to be expanded; and
- (c) if so, the total MW of power expected to be added by that Thermal Power Plant after expansion?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) : The details of thermal power plants to be expanded during Ninth Plan are given below:-

S. No.	Name of Project	Expansion of Capacity during	State	Sector
	9th Plan			
1.	Panipat U-6	210 MW	Haryana	State Sector
2.	Rokhia Ph.II U-1	8 MW	Tripura	State Sector
3.	Tanda U-4	110 MW	U.P.	State Sector
4.	Gandhinagar U-5	210 MW	Gujarat	State Sector
5.	Kutch Lignite U-3	75 MW	Gujarat	State Sector
6.	Wanakbori U-7	210 MW	Gujarat	State Sector
7.	Birsingpur Extn.	420 MW	M.P.	State Sector
8.	Chandrapur U-7	500 MW	Maharashtra	State Sector
9.	Kothagudam-IV	250 MW	A.P.	State Sector
10.	Raichur U-5 & 6	420 MW	Karnataka	State Sector
11.	Unchahar-II	420 MW	U.P.	Central Sector
12.	Vindhyachal-II	1000 MW	M.P.	Central Sector
13.	Neyveli FST Extn.	210 MW	T.N.	Central Sector
14.	Dabhol-II	1444 MW	Maharashtra	Private Sector
15.	Anta-II	650 MW	Rajasthan	Central Sector
16.	Auraiya-II	650 MW	U.P.	Central Sector
17.	Kawas-II	650 MW	Gujarat	Central Sector
18.	Gandhar-II	650 MW	Gujarat	Central Sector

Talcher Thermal Power Project of NTPC will have a total installed capacity of 3000 MW after expansion. The project will be commissioned progressively in the Tenth Plan. Similarly four gas based expansion projects of Anta, Auraiya, Kawas and Gandhar with total capacity of 2600 MW will start during the Ninth Plan but are likely to be completed during the Tenth Plan. Besides these projects and also Panipat Unit-6, Neyveli Ext. and Dabhol-II, all the others have already been commissioned.