

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4726
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SHORTAGE OF POWER IN ANDHRA PRADESH .
BODAKUNTI VENKATESHWARLU

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

the measures proposed to supply extra power from National Grid to meet the shortage of power in Andhra Pradesh?

Answer

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

In order to meet the shortage of power, besides a firm allocation of 943.5 MW in Central Sector Stations in Southern Region, Andhra Pradesh has been allocated

- (i) 40% out of unallocated quota in Southern region,
- (ii) 220 MW power from NTPC stations in Eastern Region. In addition, Andhra Pradesh gets about 150 MW power from Orissa in Eastern Region as well as surplus power during off peak period from Western region under bilateral agreements.