

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5880
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SETTING UP OF BARSINGHSAR PALANA THERMAL POWER PROJECT
RAMESHWAR DUDI

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Barsingshar Palana Thermal Power Project was started by Neyveli Lignite Thermal Power Corporation;
- (b) whether a sum of Rs.60 crore was spent on this project by the said Corporation;
- (c) if so, whether the Neyveli Lignite Thermal Power Corporation is considering to restart the said project;
- (d) if so, the time by which it is likely to be started; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a) to (e) : Neyveli Lignite Corporation Ltd. (NLC) had started Barsingshar Palana Thermal Power Project and had incurred an initial capital expenditure of around Rs.43.09 crores. NLC may consider restarting the project in the event of the Rajasthan Government reallocating the project to NLC. In that case, NLC will be able to take up the project after obtaining the approval of the Government and other statutory clearances.