

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1581
ANSWERED ON:24.07.2002
INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS
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Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that work on 34 public sector infrastructure projects has either been abandoned or frozen after having spent huge amount of money on their execution;
- (b) if so, the details of the projects, the amount already spent and the reasons for stopping further work on these projects, State-wise; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government for resumption of work on the abandoned projects and for execution of work within the scheduled time to avoid cost escalation?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS & PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI VIJAY GOEL)

(a) to (c) As on 31st March,2002, there are 32 projects which have not been able to progress due to various reasons after incurring an expenditure of Rs. 1020.79 crore. These projects have been frozen / abandoned / merged / put on hold due to demand constraints and other reasons. The requisite details of these projects are given in the enclosed statement. The steps taken for controlling time and cost escalation include:

- (i) Adoption of milestone monitoring for all projects (milestones drawn from PERT charts).
- (ii) Quarterly performance review of all projects, implemented through the Public Sector Enterprises and their subsidiaries by the Secretary of administrative Ministry/Department concerned.
- (iii) Review of departmental projects by the Empowered Committee headed by the Secretary of the Ministry / Department to resolve the problems encountered in implementation, including contractual impediments.
- (iv) Site visits of projects facing constraints by the Ministries concerned.
- (v) Special review of identified projects by the Standing Committee of Secretaries to resolve inter-ministerial problems.

ENCLOSURE TO THE ANSWER TO LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO 1581 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 24.07.2002
Frozen/Dropped Projects as on 31.03.2002

UNIT : (COST/EXPENDITURE :RS.IN CRORES)

GOVT. SL. NO.	DATE OF PROJECT (DISTRICT)	DATE OF COMMISSIONING CAPACITY	EXPENDITURE		COST		CUMULATIVE		REASONS
			APPRO-	APPROVED	APPROVED	ANTICIPATED			
(STATE)	(RVSD)	ORGNL	(REVISED)	CIPA-	ORIGINAL	ORIGINAL	ANTI-		
(0)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)

SECTOR: COAL

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SECL

1. SHEETAL DHARA UG SHALHOL MADHYA PRADESH	0.51 MTY	1995/05	2001/03	2001/03	48.22	48.22	26.52	Dropped and merged with kurja project.
2. KAPILDHARA UG AUG. SHAHOL MADHYA PRADESH	0.51 MTY	1998/03	2003/03	2004/03	47.31	47.31	2.81	Project shelved.
HZZL								
3. BAMNIA KALAN LEAD ZINC M RAJASTHAN		1985/09	1995/03	N.A.	36.44	47.00	2.00	Dropped due to unviability.
SECTOR: PETROCHEMICALS =====								
IPCL -								
4. ADV.ENGG. PLASTICS JV- VADODRA GUJRAT		1992/05	1995/05	N.A.	21.12	25.12	-	IPCL has been privatised.
SECTOR: PETROLEUM =====								
BPCL -								
5. HEAT INTEGR- ATION OF CDU BOMBAY MAHARASHTRA IOC	Completed.	1993/03	1995/04	N.A.	35.00	35.00	-	Dropped/alternative to the project at a lower cost
6. HALDIA-BUDGE BUDGE PLINE MIDNAPORE WEST BENGAL	MMTPA 1.1	1991/07	1994/03	N.A.	31.06	44.00	1.93	An alternative redesigned pipeline, namely new Haldia -Budge-Budge put up at a much lower cost.
7. AUG.OF PANIP TAMBALA-J&K. HARYANA		1999/01	2001/05	N.A.	68.52	68.52	0.69	Dropped.
8. GUJARAT REF. RESIDUE UPGD GUJARAT		1999/10	2003/01	N.A.	4392.00	4392.00	107.45	Frozen due to demand constraint.
9. LOW COST AU- I REVAMP VADODRA GUJARAT		1998/11	2001/11	N.A.	96.93	96.93	0.77	Frozen due to demand constraint.
10. AUG.SALAYA- MATHURA COIL GU/RJ/UP	MMTPA 26	2000/08	2002/09	N.A.	1734.00	-	27.61	Alternative is available at low Cost.

ONGCL							
11. ZERO FLARING PROJECT GANDHAR GUJARAT	1998/11	2001/07	2001/07	80.30	80.30	4.92	Merged with Gandhar IOR development project.
SECTOR: POWER =====							
PGCIL							
12. DULHASTI TR. CKM LINE 630 System. J & K	1987/10	1992/07	N.A.	166.57	772.83	41.08	Replaced by other transmission
SECTOR: HEAVY INDUSTRY =====							
CEMENT							
13. YERRAGUNTALA LK.TON. EXPN.(CCI) 10.00 1989/03 1991/04 ANDHRA PRADESH	1981/04	1986/09	N.A.	75.72	307.00	58.91	Privatised.
	1987/10	1989/10		191.25			
		191.25					
14. BAGASSE BASE NEWS PRINT MORADABAD UTTAR PRADESH	1989/10	1993/10	N.A.	414.46	622.30	6.91	Privatised.
SECTOR: SURFACE TRANSPORT =====							
PORTS							
15. RECESS.DREDG JIGGERKHALI WEST BENGAL	1990/04	1991/09	N.A.	43.29	66.91	15.73	Change in decision to carry out work on contract.
16. CONST.CARGO 5A/6A M.POSE MURMUGOA GOA	1999/08	2001/12	2001/12	250.00	250.00	-	Shifted to Private sector.
SECTOR: TELECOMMUNICATION =====							
DOT							
17. E 10B EXCH,& LINES TE BUILDING 12K SRINAGAR J & K	1989/04	1991/12	N.A.	22.07	22.07	-	Dropped.
18. INS.OF E10B KL EX.R.T.NAGAR 9 BANGALORE KARNATAKA	1992/06	1995/03	N.A.	28.86	28.86	0.03	Replaced with new project of 20K with new technology.
19. INST.OF E10B K EX.PUNE 8 PUNE MAHARASHTRA	1992/06	1994/03	N.A.	25.70	25.70	-	Replaced with 10K new technology exchange.
20. E10B EX. 8K BAJAJNAGAR JAIPUR	1991/05	1992/03	1996/09	23.70	23.70	4.73	Change in planning.

RAJASTHAN

21. INST.OF SIE- MENS ELEC EX VIJAYWADA ANDHRA PRADESH	10K	1994/01	1994/09	N.A.	20.72	20.72	-	Equipment procured on lease - completed.
22. INST.OF SIE- MENS ELEC EX FARIDABAD HARYANA	10K	1994/01	1994/09	N.A.	21.23		-	Equipment procured on lease - completed.
23. INST.OF SIE- MENS ELEC EX VIZAG ANDHRA PRADESH	10K	1994/03	1994/09	N.A.	20.91	20.91	-	Equipment procured on lease - completed.
24. INST.OF MAX- I DIGITAL EX JULLUNDER PUNJAB	10K	1993/12	1994/09	N.A.	20.86	20.86	-	Equipment procured on lease - completed.
25. INST.OF MAX- I DIGITAL EX MEERUT UTTAR PRADESH	10K	1994/01	1994/09	N.A.	20.57	20.57	-	Equipment procured on lease - completed.
26. EXPN.OF FUJITSU EX. CHANDIGARH PUNJAB	K 15	1994/12	1996/03	N.A.	29.80	29.80	-	Equipment procured on lease - completed.
VSNL								
27. INMARSAT-P 2000/12 MUMBAI MAHARASHTRA		1995/11	2000/09	2003/01 Co in USA liquidated.	546.00	546.00	550.44	The Telecom highway
28. N.DELHI-DEH- RADUN MW SYS	CKTS 5670	1996/11	1998/03 1999/07	2001/12	30.34	30.34	21.57	Dropped & privatised.
DE/UP								
29. INT.NWK MGT. CENTRE MUMBAI MAHARASHTRA		1996/11	1999/01 2000/05	2000/05	40.00	40.00	-	Dropped.
30. SAFE CABLE SYSTEM KOCHI KERALA		1999/12	2001/12	2002/03	231.00	231.00	144.74	Privatised.
SECTOR: URBAN DEVELOPMENT =====								
UD								
31. C/O TYPE-V, VI QTRS,INA NEW DELHI DELHI	V-98 V1-28	1995/12	1997/12	N.A.	26.00	26.00	-	Frozen.

32. GENERAL POOL NO.	1985/09	1989/09	N.A.	29.50	62.75	1.95	Frozen.
RESIDENCE QR 1016	1995/05			62.75			
MUMBAI							
MAHARASHTRA							

SECL : South Eastern coalfields Ltd.
ONGCL : Oil & Natural gas corporation Ltd.
HZL : Hindustan zinc Ltd.
PGICL : Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd.
IPCL : Indian Petrochemicals Corp Ltd.
CCI : Cement Corporation of India
JV : Joint Venture
DOT : Department of Telecommunication
BPCL : Bharath Petroleum Corpn. Ltd.
VSNL : Videsh Sanchar Nigam Ltd.
IOC : Indian Oil corporation
UD : Urban Development