

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
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ASSESSMENT TO NTPC ON DURGAPUR AND BOKARO STEEL PLANTS
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether National Thermal Power Corporation has completed the assessment on the various aspects of the captive power plant of Rourkela Steel Plant;
- (b) if so, the details therefore;
- (c) whether similar assessment has also been made by NTPC on Durgapur and Bokaro Steel Plant;
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with the performance of these captive power plants;
- (e) whether there is any proposal for the expansion of these plants;
- (f) if so, the details thereof; and
- (g) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) : Yes, Sir. The Captive Power Plant-II (CPP-II) of Rourkela (2x60 MW) 420 MW was assessed by National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC). Thereafter a joint venture company of NTPC and Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL) has been formed with the name 'NTPC – SAIL Power Company Pvt. Ltd in March 2001 to take over, operate and maintain the power plant.

(c) & (d) : Assessment was also done in case of Durgapur CPP-II. It has been taken over and is being operated and maintained by NTPC – SAIL Power Company Pvt. Ltd.

For the Captive Power Plants of Bokaro Steel Plant it has been decided by SAIL and Damodar Valley Corporation (DVC) to form a Joint Venture Company to take over, operate and maintain the power plant.

(e) to (g) : There is no proposal for expansion of these plants.