

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

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FINANCIAL CRISIS AT TALCHER IN ORISSA
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the thermal power plant at Talcher in Orissa has faced with a serious financial crisis;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the steps taken by NTPC to resolve the crisis in that thermal power plant?

Answer

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

(a) : Talcher Thermal Power Station (460 MW) in Orissa was taken over by National Thermal Power Corporation from erstwhile Orissa State Electricity Board on 3rd June, 1995 and this station has not faced any financial crises since then.

(b) & (c) : In view of above, do not arise.