GOVERNMENT OF INDIA POWER LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6567 ANSWERED ON:08.05.2003 INCREASEMENT IN TARIFF OF POWER PARSURAM MAJHI

12. Punjab 13. Tamil Nadu 14. Uttar Pradesh

15. West Bengal 16. Pondicherry 17. Daman & Diu

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the States who have increased power tariff during 2002-2003;
(b) the reasons advanced by them for the increase in the power tariff;
(c) whether his Ministry propose to issue guidelines to the States to have an uniform power tariff; and
(d) if so, the steps taken in that regard?
Answer
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)
(a) & (b): In fifteen States and two Union Territories power tariffs have been revised/increased during the year 2002-03. The names of the States/UTs are given in the Annexure. Tariff revisions are necessitated by increase in the cost of supply.
(c): No, Sir.
(d): In view of (c) above does not arise.
ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 6567 TO BE ANSWEF LOK SABHA ON 8.5.2003.
SL.NO. NAME OF THE STATE/UT
1. Andhra Pradesh
2. Assam
3. Goa
4. Gujarat
5. Jammu & Kashmir 6. Karnataka
7 Kerala
8. Madhya Pradesh
9. Manipur 10. Mizoram 11. Orissa