

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:249

ANSWERED ON:13.03.2000

DEVELOPMENTAL PROJECTS PENDING CLEARANCE

A. VENKATESH NAIK;ASHOK NAMDEORAO MOHOL

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of Power, Irrigation, Industrial and other developmental projects pertaining to various States pending with the Government for the Environment and Forestry Clearance;

(b) the present status thereof;

(c) the steps taken by the Government to clear these projects;

(d) the time by which these projects are likely to be cleared?

Answer

MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI T. R. BALLU)

(a) & (b) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

(c) & (d) Continuous interaction is maintained with the project proponent / State Government to expedite sending of information /clarifications called for. Decision on proposals for Environmental and Forestry Clearance is taken normally within 90 days from the date of receipt of complete information.

STATEMENT IN RESPECT OF PART (a) & (b) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO249 FOR 13.03.2000 REGARDING DEVELOPMENTAL PROJECTS PENDING CLEARANCE.

A. ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE :

S.No.	Name of the Projects	Status
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Power Project -

ANDHRA PRADESH

1.	34.56 MW DG Power Plant at Ghanapuram Village, Ghatkesar Mandal, District Rangareddy of M/s Inden Power International Ltd.	Additional information sought on 10.2.2000 .
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2.	2x30 MW Coal Based Power Plant at Wadapalli, Nalgonda District, of M/s Krishna Godavari Power	Additional information sought on 09.02.2000.
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Utilities Ltd.

DELHI

3.	330 MW Coal Based TPP at Narela,	The project proponent has
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Delhi by M/s Appollo Energy Company changed the scope of the
Ltd. project.

4. 330 MW Gas based Pragati Combined Additional information
Cycle Power Project at IP Estate by sought on 10.02.2000.
Delhi Vidyut Board.

KARNATAKA

5. 1x24 MW Co-generation Power Plant Additional information was
at Sameerwati, Karnataka by M/s sought on 10.2.2000.
Godavari Sugar Mills Ltd.

6. 1x500 MW Vijaynagar Thermal Power Additional information was
Project at Kuditini Village, sought on 10.2.2000.
Bellary District of M/s Karnataka
Power Corporation Ltd.

MADHYA PRADESH

7. 1x500 MW Sanjay Gandhi Thermal Under process.
Power Plant Stage-II at Mangather
Village, Distt. Umaria (MP) by M/s
MP Electricity Board.

8. 28.25 MW Liquid Fuel Based Power Additional information was
Plant at MANDIDEEP Industrial Area, sought on 10.2.2000.
District Raisen (M.P.) by M/s Som
Power Ltd.

MEGHALAYA

9 Myntdu (Le-Shka) H.E. Project, Additional information
Stage-I (2X42 MW) sought on 31.1.2000. Reply
received recently.

MIZORAM

10 Tuivai Hydroelectric Linked to forest clearance.
Project (100 MW)

TAMIL NADU

11 109 MW Naphtha Based Combined Cycle Under process.
Gas Turbine Power Plant at Vallur
Village, Ennore, North Chennai,
Tamil Nadu by M/s Aban Power
Company Ltd.

12 Kollimalai Hydro Electric Project Site is being visited.
(IX 20 MW) - Tamil Nadu Electricity
Board

Irrigation - No Irrigation project is pending for Environmental Clearance

Industrial -

ANDHRA PRADESH

13 Manufacturing of Aluminium Alloy Under Process
wheel for Light Vehicles at VEPZ
Visakhapatnam by M/s Synergies
Dooray Automotive Ltd.,

ASSAM

14 Environmental Clearance for Additional information
proposed ISOSIV & INSMA unit at sought on 10.01.2000.
Guwahati Refinery of M/s. IOCL. received on 22.2.2000.
Under examination

15 Vijayawada - Secunderabad Pipeline Under process.
Extension Project by M/s HPCL.

GUJARAT

16 Expansion of Clinkarisation plant Received recently.
at Mithapur, Gujarat by M/s Tata
Chemicals Ltd.,
17 Proposed product substitutes in Received recently.
Existing pesticide plant at GIDC,
Industrial Area, Ankaleshwar
Bharuch Gujarat by M/s FICOM
18 Expansion of the pesticide Additional information
manufacturing unit at GIDC, Panoli, sought on 28.02.2000.
Bharuch distt. Gujarat of M/s
Pesticides India Ltd.,

MAHARASHTRA

19 Foundry Project at Tal-Khed, Under process.
District Pune by M/s Alcast Foundry
Pvt. Ltd.
20 Environmental Clearance for Considered in the Expert
expansion of Factory to additional Committee on 23.02.2000.
manufacture AC Sheets & Accessories Site visit to be made.
@ 36000 MTPA capacity at Wada,
Thane of Maharashtra by M/s Roofit
Industries Ltd.,

PUNJAB

21 Expansion of Pesticides Additional information
Manufacturing Unit at Dera Bassi, sought on 04.01.2000.
Patiala, Punjab by M/s Rallis India
Ltd.
22 Expansion of Pesticides Additional information
Manufacturing Unit at Dera Bassi, sought on 29.02.2000
Patiala, Punjab by M/s Rallis India
Ltd.,

RAJASTHAN

23 45000 TPA Capacity Unit for Additional information
manufacturing Asbestos Cement sought on 29.02.2000.
Products at Dhamikhurd, Sangamner,
Jaipur Rajasthan by M/s Roofit
Industries Ltd.,

TAMIL NADU

24 6.5 MMTPA Refinery at Cuddalore of Under process.
M/s Nagarjuna Oil Corporation
Limited (NOCL).
25 Foundry Unit at Hosur Taluk, Additional information was
Dharmapuri District by M/s A.R. received on 09.02.2000.
Metallurgical Pvt. Ltd.
26 Foundry Unit at Arasur village, Under process.
Coimbatore District by M/s Sharp
Foundry Ltd.
27 Expansion of Engineering Unit at Under examination.
Singanallur, District Coimbatore by
M/s Elgi Equipment Ltd.

28 17.5 TPM Capacity Manufacturing Under process.
Unit for cast iron castings at
Keeranathan village, Coimbatore
District. (T.N) by M/s Abinaya
Engineering Industry.

29 50 TPM Capacity foundry unit at Additional information
Bairamangalam, Dharmapuri distt. by received on 11.02.00.
M/s Spectro-ductile Iron Pvt. Ltd.,

30 Manufacturing Unit of Powder Paint Under process.
at SIPCOT Industrial Estate,
Gummidipundi, Thiruvallur District
by M/s Snowcem India Ltd.
31 Environmental Clearance for Additional information
installation of furnace of 33 sought on 17.12.99.
MT/day & 60 MT/day capacity at
Paranattamangalam Salem Taluk,
Salem Distt. of Tamil Nadu. By M/s
Jai Hind Wire Rod Mills Ltd.,

32 Foundry Unit (50 TPM) at Coimbatore Additional information
(north) Taluk, Coimbatore district, sought on 22.12.99.
by M/s KGF Alloy Steel Private
Limited.
33 3.0 MMTPA expansion of Madras Site visit was made on
Refineries Ltd; at Manali. 04.03.2000.
34 14400 TPA steel Ingot Project at Additional information has
Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu by M/s Raja now been received on
Steels Private Ltd., 11.02.2000.

WEST BENGAL

35 Proposal on Calcutta Leather Under process.
Complex at Karaidanga, 24-Parganas
(South) District. by M/s M. S.
Dalmia & Co. Ltd.

36 400 TPD PET Resin Project at Additional information
Haldia, West Bengal by M/s South sought on 23.02.2000.
Asian Petro-chem Ltd.,

OTHERS

37 Augmentation of Haldia - Barauni Under process.
Crude Oil Pipeline from 4.2 MMTPA
to 7.5 MMTPA capacity by M/s IOC
Ltd.

Other developmental projects-

ANDHRA PRADESH

38 Construction of Dedicated Jetty for Under process.
BBI Power Krishnapatnam 'B' (2x260
MW) Thermal Power Project in
Nellore District
39 Nellore Bypass Project by United Additional information

ARUNACHAL PRADESH

40 Construction of Etalinen-Malinyne Additional information
Road from Km. 0.00- Km.47.00 (CSG sought on 23.12.1999.
Road) by Border Road Organization
41 Construction of Haynliang- Additional information
Changlagaon Road from Km. 0.00- sought on 23.12.1999.
Km.47.00 (CSG Road) by Border Road
Organization

BIHAR

42 Four laning and strengthening of Additional information have
existing 2 lane section of NH 2 from been sought on 21-2-2000.
km 180 (Madanpur, Aurangabad) to
kms 398.75 (Barawada) by NHAI.

GOA

43 Construction of a Hotel Project in Clarifications sought from
Survey No.117/1 of Arossim Village Govt. of Goa on
of Mormagao Taluka by M/s. Nova 05.05.1999.
Resort Pvt.Ltd.
44 Construction of a Beach Resort by Clarifications sought from
Mr. Garth D'Souza in Sy.No.109/1, Govt. of Goa on
Cavelossim, Village. 05.05.1999.

45 Proposed Construction of a Hotel in Additional information /
Survey No.109/1 (pt) of Betalbatim clarifications have been
Village, Salcete Taluka by M/s. sought on 13.01.2000.
Algoa Pvt.Ltd
46 Proposed Construction of Dry Dock Additional information /
and Shed in Survey No.209/2 of clarifications have been
Sancoale Village, Salcete Taluka by sought on 14.01.2000.
M/s. Pinky Shipyard Pvt.Ltd
47 Proposed Construction of a Hotel in Additional
Survey No.33/1, 33/7-11, 47/1, information/clarification
49/1, 50/1-26 and 51/1-31 of Utorda have been sought on
Village, Salcete Taluka by Shri 20.1.2000.
Alfred Andrade and others

GUJARAT

48 Expansion of infrastructural Additional

facilities at Pipavav Port in information/clarifications
Gujarat by M/s. Gujarat Pipavav sought on 13.02.2000.
Port Ltd.

49 Construction of Single Point Under process.
Mooring (SPM), Crude Oil Terminal
(COT) and connecting pipeline from
SPM to COT at Mundra Port for
Punjab Refinery Project by M/s.
Hindustan Petroleum Corporation
Ltd.

HIMACHAL PRADESH

50 Swan River Flood Management and Under process.
Integrated Project, Distt.Una,
Irrigation and Public health Dept.
Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.

KARNATAKA

51 170 MW Barge Mounted Power Project Additional
at Mangalore, Dakshina Kannada information/clarification
Distt by M/s. Smith Co-generation have been sought on
(India) Pvt.Unlimited. 18.1.2000.

KERALA

52 Shore Crude Oil Tank Farm of Additional information /
M/s.Cochin Refineries Ltd. - Crude clarifications have been
Oil receipt facilities at sought on 28-2-2000.
Ernakulam.
53 Setting up of Beach Resort at Recently received.
Chawara in Kottukal Village,
Neyyatinkara Taluk of
Thiruvananthapuram Dist. by M/S
Joy's The Beach Resort.

LAKSHADWEEP

54 Setting up of the Tinna Beach Additional information /
Resort at Tinnakara Island - Pykala clarifications sought on.
Society for Tourism and Water 28.1.2000.
Sports Management (M/s. U.B.
Resorts)

MADYA PRADESH

55 Dharmasthal OC / UG coal mine of Additional information
M/s BLA Industries in District sought on 29.12.1999.
Narsinghpur

MAHARASHTRA

56 Bellora-Takli OC / UG coal mine of Additional information
M/s Central Collieries Co. Ltd. in sought on 29.12.99.
District Chandrapur
57 Adasa UG coal mine of M/s Western Additional information
Coal fields Ltd. in District Nagpur received. 18.01.2000. Under process.
58 Kamptee UG to OC coal mine of M/s Additional information
Western Coal fields Ltd. in sought on 18.01.2000..
District Nagpur

59 Rehabilitation and Upgrading of Linked to forestry
Surat-Manor Road NH-8 Section III clearance.
in Thane District
60 Construction of Mumbai-Talasari Additional information
Expressway by Public Works sought.
Department

61 Expansion of Abhishek Beach Resort Additional information
in Survey No.56-2B/1 and 56-2C at received on 01.02.2000.
Village Ganapatipule by M/S
Courtesy Hotels Pvt. Ltd.

ORISSA

62 Kodingamali Bauxite Mines at Site is to be visited.
District Koraput of M/s Aditya
Aluminium Company

63 Basundhara (West) Opencast coal Additional information
mines at District Sundargarh, sought on 18.01.2000 .
Orissa of M/s Mahanadi Coalfields
Limited.

RAJASTHAN

64 Flourspar and Quartz mines of M/s Additional information
Kishore Kumar Gandhi in District received on 28.02.2000.
Sirohi

65 Upgradation of Jaipur Kishangarh A site visit is to be
Section of N.H-8 (Kms273.5 to made.
Kms.366.2) in Jaipur and Ajmer
distt. By NHAI

TAMILNADU

66 Opencast Graphite Mine of M/s Gem Additional information
Graphite Private Limited near received on 25.02.2000.
Arasanur, Sivagangai District,
Tamil Nadu.

67 Opencast limestone mine of M/s Additional information
Super Mines and Minerals in sought on 25.02.2000 .
District Salem.

68 Setting up of SBM, Jetty and other Clearance accorded.
Marine Facilities adjacent to the
Refinery site near Tiruchapuram
Village, Cuddalore Distt, by M/s.
Pennar Refineries Ltd.

69 Tamil Nadu Road Sector Project Additional information
Phase-I (Eastern Corridor) from received on 23-2-2000.
Cuddalore to Tuticorin by Tamil
Nadu Highways and Rural Works
Department

70 Tamil Nadu Road Sector Project Additional information /
Phase-IA (Northern Corridor) by clarifications have been
Tamil Nadu Highways and Rural Works sought on 31.12.99.
Department

UTTAR PRADESH

71 National Highway project of laning Information/clarifications

and strengthening of existing 2 lane from km 393 (Sikandara) to km 115 (Khaga) of NH-2 in UP (Package II) by NHAI. have been sought on 21-2-2000.

INTER-STATE

72 Four Laning and Strengthening of existing two lane section of NH_2 from km 317 (Varanasi) in UP to km 180 (Aurangabad) in Bihar (Package IX) by NHAI. Recently received.

B. PROJECTS PENDING FOR FORESTRY CLEARANCE INVOLVING FOREST AREA MORE THAN 20 HECTARES.

HYDRO-ELECTRIC:

S.No.	Name	Area(hectare)	State	Status
1.	Allain Duhangan HEP, Kullu	58.162	HP	Site Inspection Report from Regional Office is awaited.
2	Tuivai Hydro Electric Project	1600	Mizoram	Additional information and Site inspection report is awaited .

IRRIGATION:

3	Champamati irrigation project in Kokrajhal	8.592	Assam	Discussed in Forest Advisory Committee on 29.2.2000. Under process.
4	Construction of Jhansinagar lift irrigation scheme in Bhandara	31.350	Maharashtra`	Additional information received from State Government in February 2000 and under process.
5	Malsej ghat pumped storage scheme in Thane	73.949	`	Site inspection report received to be discussed in next Forest Advisory Committee.
6	Shikarghatta minor irrigation scheme, Jaipur	35.70	Rajasthan	Under submission for decision.

MINING:

7.	Silica sand by P.C.Jain etc. in Dausa	37.454	Rajasthan	Under Process for decision..
8.	Chomite mining by Industrial Development Cor. Of Orissa Ltd. In Jajpur	96.42	Orissa	Discussed in Forest Advisory Committee on 29.2.2000. Under submission.
9.	Chromite mining by Late Aoikath in Jajpur	30.25	`	Discussed in Forest Advisory Committee on 29.2.2000. Under submission.
10	Extraction of	70.67	Maharashtra	Discussed in Forest

maganese ore in Bhandara		Advisory Committee. Under Process.	
11 Renewal of Dhanpuri OCP of SECL, Shahdol	870.757	M.P	Site Inspection Report is awaited .
12 Mining lease for limestone mining in favour of Madras Cement Ltd. in Krishna distt.	60.72	Andhra Pradesh	Discussed in the Committee on 29.2.2000. Site inspection to be done by members of the Committee.
13 OC Phase-I coal mining of SCCL, Khammam	236.00	`	Site Inspection Report awaited.
14 Forest land for mining in favour of Hothur Traders	38.38	Karnataka	Clarification sought from Regional Office, Bangalore on 11.1.2000
15 Renewal of ML to Rungta Co. Pvt. Ltd. in East Singhbhum	131.081	Bihar	Site to be visited by Members of Forest Advisory Committee.
16 For limestone mining in favour of M/s Gujarat Ambuja Cement Ltd. in Solan	21.4	H.P.	Site Inspection Report awaited.

THERMAL/TRANSMISSION LINE:

17. Laying of 66 KV transmission line in Kinnaur distt.	73.02	Himachal Pradesh	Site Inspection Report awaited since 27.9.99.
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