GOVERNMENT OF INDIA POWER LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5365 ANSWERED ON:29.04.2005 TIPAIMUKH DAM PROJECT Meinya Dr. Thokchom

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the concerned States of Manipur, Mizoram and Assam have agreed to construct the Tipaimukh Dam;
- (b) if so, whether the mandatory environmental clearance from the Ministry of Environment and Forest has been obtained;
- (c) if so, the funds allocated so far and spent on this project;
- (d) whether the work has begun; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF POWER(SHRI P.M. SAYEED)

- (a): Yes, Sir.
- (b): No, Sir.
- (c): No funds have been released by the Government so far for this project. However, the Detailed Project Report has been prepared by the Brahmaputra Board and North Eastern Electric Power Corporation have spent about Rs.1.5 crore on survey and investigation required for getting environment and forest clearances.
- (d): No, Sir.
- (e): Does not arise, in view of reply to (d) above.