

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1555
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ALLOCATION OF POWER
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) the actual requirement and supply of power for Orissa from the Central Public Undertakings;
- (b) the names of undertakings from which power is being distributed to Orissa;
- (c) whether Orissa has requested for additional quota of power to meet the increasing demand in the State; and
- (d) if so, the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

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

- (a) : During the current year (April-October, 2005), the power supply position in Orissa was as under :-

Energy (MU)	Peak (MW)
Requirement 8762	Peak Demand 2350
Availability 8655	Peak Met 2334
Shortage 107	Shortage 16
Shortage (%) 1.2	Shortage (%) 0.7

It would be seen from the above that the power supply position in the State of Orissa has by and large been satisfactory during the current year and Orissa has been selling power to other States under bilateral agreement.

The scheduled drawal of power by Orissa from central sector generating stations of National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) and Chukha Hydro Electric Project (HEP) in Bhutan during the current year (April-October, 2005) was 4070.1 MU as against its entitlement of 4061.3 MU.

- (b) : Orissa has been receiving power from NTPC and Power Trading Corporation (PTC) against its share of central sector thermal generating stations in Eastern Region (ER) and Chukha HEP in Bhutan respectively.

(c) & (d) : Orissa as well as other constituents of ER had requested for additional allocation of power from NTPC stations in the ER. Allocation of power from NTPC stations was reviewed w.e.f. 15.11.2005 keeping in view the power supply position of various States/UTs and the allocation of Orissa in Central Generating Stations in ER and Chukha HEP was increased from 701 MW to 705 MW.