

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:246
ANSWERED ON:08.03.2006
PROMOTION OF BIOGAS PLANTS
Mahto Shri Tek Lal;Singh Shri Dushyant

Will the Minister of NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether any steps have been taken by the Government to promote biogas plants;
 - (b) if so, the target set for the purpose during the Tenth Plan;
 - (c) the achievements made in this regard, State-wise; and
 - (d) the assistance extended to each State during the above plan, year-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SHRI VILAS MUTTEMWAR)

(a),(b),(c)&(d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT

STATEMENT IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 246 BY SHRI DUSHYANT SINGH AND SHRI TEK LAL MAHTO TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, THE 8TH MARCH, 2006.

(a): Yes, Sir. A Centrally Sponsored Scheme - National Biogas and Manure Management Programme (NBMMP) is being continued during the Tenth Plan for promotion of family type biogas plants in the country.

(b): The target set for family type biogas plants for the Tenth Plan period was ten lakh plants.

(c) & (d): State-wise information on 4.37 lakh family type biogas plants achieved during the first four years of the Plan, i.e., 2002-03 to 2005-06 (up to December, 2005) and Rs. 115.88 crore released during 2002-03 to 2005-06 (up to February 2006) is annexed. A target for setting up of 75,000 plants with Budget Estimates of Rs.41.00 crore has been proposed for 2006-07. Targets and funds for 2006-07 will be allocated in consultation with State nodal departments and programme implementing agencies in the beginning of the financial year.

ANNEXURE

Annexure referred to in reply to part (c) & (d) of the Lok Sabha Starred Question No.246 to be replied on 8.3.2006 regarding Promotion of Biogas Plants by Shri Dushyant Singh and Shri Tek Lal Mahto

State-wise number of family type biogas plants installed during the period 2002-03 to 2005-06 (up to December 2005) and funds released during the period 2002-03 to 2005-06 (up to February 2006) under National Biogas and Manure Management Programme (NBMMP).

State / UT / Agency Number of plants set up Funds (Rupees in crore)
during 2002-03 to 2005-06 sanctioned during 2002-03
(up to December 2005) to 2005-06 (up to February 2006)

Andhra Pradesh	59067	16.76
Arunachal Pradesh	530	1.13
Assam	298	Nil
Bihar	833	Nil
Chattisgarh	14944	2.91
Goa	259	Nil
Gujarat	23391	7.96
Haryana	4735	0.96
Himachal Pradesh	877	0.50
Jharkhand	499	0.03

Karnataka	42855	8.09
Kerala	8480	1.99
Madhya Pradesh	37690	7.31
Maharashtra	31215	9.34
Manipur	266	0.60
Meghalaya	612	0.90
Mizoram	593	0.93
Nagaland	700	0.24
Orissa	37238	8.95
Punjab	7537	0.40
Rajasthan	368	0.15
Sikkim	934	1.38
Tamilnadu	6642	1.53
Tripura	450	0.86
Uttar Pradesh	28368	3.42
Uttaranchal	1689	0.49
West Bengal	49140	12.81
Khadi & Village Industries Commission, Mumbai	54485	16.78
Others	22751	9.49