

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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GAS BASED POWER PROJECT IN ANDHRA PRADESH
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) the present status of the gas-based power project at Nedunur in Karimnagar, Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) the details of funds released and utilized for the project during the current year; and
- (c) the time by which power generation is likely to be started therefrom?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI BHARATSINH SOLANKI)

(a): As reported by Andhra Pradesh Power Generation Corporation Ltd. (APGENCO), presently, due to non-availability of firm allocation of gas, APGENCO has proposed to take up the project with 700 MW initially in Stage-I with Regasified Liquefied Natural Gas (RLNG). The Detailed Project Report is being revised and tender documents are under preparation by APGENCO.

(b): No funds have been released during the current year.

(c): The power generation is likely to start from March, 2013 from Stage-I.