GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1233 ANSWERED ON:04.03.2010 EXPORT ORDERS FOR BHEL Lal Shri Kirodi

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited has got export orders from international markets;
- (b) if so, the details of such orders during the last three years; and
- (c) the details of the steps taken by the Government to improve the functioning and efficiency of BHEL?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI ARUN YADAV)

- (a): Yes, Madam.
- (b): Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) has booked orders from international markets worth Rs. 1,903 crore, Rs. 2,312 crore and Rs. 3,265 crore respectively, in the years 2006-07, 2007-08 and 2008-09, which include export orders for projects, products, spares and services. Details of major physical export orders secured by BHEL during these three years is annexed (Annexure).
- (c): Continuous review and monitoring of the functioning and performance of BHEL is undertaken by the Department of Heavy Industry with a view to make further improvements. The company is equipping itself by way of technology augmentation, facilities & processes, forming joint ventures & strategic alliances and inducting manpower to meet the country's power forecast for the 11th Plan and beyond. It has already enhanced its manufacturing capacity to 10,000 MW per annum. Plans are also afoot to hike it further to 20,000 MW by 2011-12.