GOVERNMENT OF INDIA POWER LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up power projects in the country including Uttar Pradesh in the next five years;
- (b) if so, the details of the sites identified for the purpose, State/UT-wise;
- (c) the time by which these projects are likely to be commissioned along with their power generation capacity; and
- (d) the details of power projects proposed to be set up in the private sector during the Twelfth Five Year Plan in the country including Andhra Pradesh?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): Against a capacity addition target of 78700 MW, a capacity of 22,302 MW has already been commissioned till 31.3.2010 and a capacity aggregating to 40072 MW is likely to be commissioned with a high level of certainty during the remaining period of the Eleventh Plan. In addition projects totaling to 12,590 MW have been identified for commissioning on best efforts basis during the Eleventh Plan period.

State-wise list of projects totaling to 62,374 MW commissioned/likely to be commissioned with a `high level of certainty` during the Eleventh Plan period is at Annex-I. A statement showing details of projects identified for commissioning on `best efforts` basis during the Eleventh Plan period is at Annex-II.

(d): Planning Commission is yet to decide on state-wise and sector-wise capacity addition target for the Twelfth Plan.