GOVERNMENT OF INDIA POWER LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:7023
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FUTURE ACTION PLAN OF RURAL ELECTRIFICATION CORPORATION
Gangaram Shri Awale Jaywant

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the REC has formulated any future action plan for the electrification of villages in the country; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): Under Rajiv Gandhi Grameen Vidyutikaran Yojana, 573 projects have been sanctioned covering 1,18,499 un-electrified villages (68763 un- electrified villages in X Plan and 49736 un-electrified villages in XI Plan). Against these projects, infrastructure works in the 79135 villages have been completed as on 15.04.2010. The sanctioned projects are expected to be completed by the year 2012.