

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY  
LOK SABHA**

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SPECIAL PLAN FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES

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**Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government has prepared any special plan for the development of new and renewable energy resources in the Western States, namely Gujarat and Rajasthan in the country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY (DR. FAROOQ ABDULLAH)

(a): No, Madam. The plans for development of renewable energy are governed by States' own perceived needs, priorities and policies. The Ministry supplements the efforts of the States through its various programmes/ schemes for promotion of renewable energy, which cover the entire country including the States of Gujarat and Rajasthan.

(b): Does not arise in view of the above stated position.