

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

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SUPPLY OF ELECTRICITY FROM POWER PLANTS
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has formulated any scheme for total electrification of villages adjacent to the power projects in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether several villages in the country including Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan adjacent to power projects have not been electrified till date; and
- (d) if so, the time by which these villages are likely to be electrified?

Answer

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

(a) to (d) : Government has decided to provide reliable power supply to the rural households of the villages within a radius of 5 km of the Central Generating Power Stations set up by Central Power Sector Undertakings. The details of the scheme for provision of supply of electricity in 5 Km areas around Central Power Plants are at Annex.