

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

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

- (a) the name of the States where Decentralized Renewable Energy (DRE) plants have been successfully implemented;
- (b) whether the Government has provided financial assistance for setting up of such plants; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) : The success of implementation of Renewable Energy systems is highly resource and region/site specific. Details of cumulative deployment of various types of Off-grid/ Decentralized Renewable Energy Systems in different States are given in the Annexure-I.

(b) & (c): Yes, Madam. The Central Financial Assistance provided depends on renewable resources and region, and varies from about 10% to 90% of the project cost, the higher level being applicable for projects in North Eastern Region / Special Category States. Details of the existing levels of Central Financial Assistance being provided under various Off-grid/ Decentralized Renewable Energy programmes in the country are given in the Annexure-II.