

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3913
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ALLOCATION OF POWER TO STATES
Naranbhai Shri Kachhadia;Singh Shri Ganesh

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to allocate additional power to various Special Economic Zones in the country including Gujarat and Madhya Pradesh; and

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) : There is no proposal to allocate additional power to various Special Economic Zone (SEZs) in the country including Gujarat and Madhya Pradesh.

Electricity being a concurrent subject, supply & distribution of electricity to different areas/categories in a State including SEZ is under the purview of the State Government/State Power Utility concerned. Central Government only supplements the efforts of State Governments(s) by commissioning power projects and bulk transmission system through Central Power Sector Undertakings.