

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
POWER  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3946  
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TRADING OF POWER  
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**Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether commercial trading of power has been continuously increasing over the years;
- (b) if so, the quantum of power trading through power exchanges during the last three years;
- (c) whether the sale price of electricity during the peak hour time in July- August, 2010 had increased to a great extent; and
- (d) if not, the facts in this regard and the maximum and minimum rates of electricity during the peak hour time during the above period?

**Answer**

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

(a) & (b) : A statement indicating the volume of electricity transacted through inter-State traders and power exchanges during the period from 2004- 05 to 2010-11 (upto September, 2010) is enclosed as Annex-I.

(c) & (d) : A statement indicating the price of electricity (including the price during peak period) transacted through inter-State traders and power exchanges during July-August, 2010 is enclosed as Annex-II.