

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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MOUDA AND SHOLAPUR POWER PLANTS
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) the present status of the Mouda and Sholapur Plants;
- (b) the total estimated cost and the power generation capacity of these plants; and
- (c) the time by which these plants are likely to be completed?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) : Mouda Power Project

Mouda Power Project of NTPC has been approved at a total cost of Rs.5460 crores (as of 4th quarter 2007 price level). Budgeted expenditure for this project for the year 2009-2010 is Rs.598 crores. The estimated capacity of Mouda Power Project is 1000 MW. The work on the project was initiated in November, 2008. Site leveling / earth work has been completed. Main Plant and offsite civil work is in progress. The project is scheduled to be commissioned during the year 2011-2012 on best effort basis.

Sholapur Power Project

Feasibility report of Sholapur Power Project has been approved on 31st December, 2008 at an estimated current cost of Rs.10,508.94 crores (as of 4th quarter 2008 price level). Budgeted expenditure for this project for the year 2009-10 is Rs.347.76 crores. The work on the project has been initiated after land and water commitment from the State Government. Various site specific studies and infrastructure works have already been taken up. Critical land for the main plant area has been acquired in June, 2009. Further acquisition of land is in progress. The estimated capacity of Sholapur Power Project is 1320 MW. The project is scheduled to be commissioned during the year 2014-15.