

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
POWER  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3941  
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ELECTRIFICATION OF VILLAGES  
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**Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether complaints regarding deficiency in quality of electrification work and providing low voltage connection to the villages in the country including Jharkhand under Rajiv Gandhi Grameen Vidyutikaran Yojana (RGGVY) have been received by the Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (c) the action taken or proposed to be taken by the Government thereon?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (c) : All references with regard to quality of works are referred to the implementing agencies for rectification. To ensure quality of rural electrification works, under XI Plan, a three tier quality monitoring system has been introduced. Under First tier, the quality monitoring is the responsibility of the concerned project implementing agency. External agencies from a panel prepared by Rural Electrification Corporation are employed by the implementing agencies to carry out quality checks. Second tier quality monitoring is done by Rural Electrification Corporation and third tier quality monitoring is proposed to be done by Ministry of Power by appointing National Quality Monitors. Ensuring proper voltage is the responsibility of concerned Power utility.