

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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SOLAR POWER

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

- (a) the present status of solar power projects set up and the technologies thereof under the Jawaharlal Nehru National Solar Mission in the country, State/UT-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has fixed any target for setting up of solar power grid projects by 2020;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the steps being taken / proposed to be taken by the Government to achieve the set target?

Answer

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

(a): The present status of solar power projects setup and the technologies thereof under Jawaharlal Nehru National Solar Mission is enclosed as Annexure-A.

(b)&(c): The Government has fixed targets for setting up solar power grid projects by 2022. The details of those targets are enclosed as Annexure-B.

(d): The Government is providing technical support and Financial Assistance as follows:

Technical support: is provided by Ministry's Solar Energy Centre, Gurgaon. Technical support is also provided through reputed institutions and laboratories.

Financial assistance:

- i) Concessional Import duty, excise duty exemption, accelerated depreciation and tax holiday.
- ii) Generation based incentive.
- iii) Bundled power for Grid connected Solar Power Projects.