

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
POWER  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:7013  
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POWER GENERATION BY DVC  
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**Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government had sanctioned 5200 MW additional capacity in thermal power generation of Damodar Valley Corporation (DVC) for Commonwealth Games (CWG), 2010;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the quantum of additional power generated by DVC before CWG-2010, source-wise?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI K.C. VENUGOPAL)

(a) & (b) : No, Madam. However, three power projects namely Meija Thermal Power Project (Phase-II – 2x500 MW), Koderma Thermal Power Project (2x500 MW) and Bokaro-A Thermal Power Project (1x500 MW) of Damodar Valley Corporation (DVC) were identified to cater to the requirement of 2500 MW power to Delhi for Commonwealth Games – 2010. Later on Bokaro-A Thermal Power Project was replaced by Durgapur Steel Thermal Power Project (Unit-1 – 500 MW).

(c) : None of the above units achieved Date of Commercial Operation (COD) before start of the Commonwealth Games. However, requirements of power of Delhi during Commonwealth Games were fully met.