GOVERNMENT OF INDIA POWER LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:7036 ANSWERED ON:18.05.2012 REVIEW OF ELECTRICITY POLICY Rana Shri Jagdish Singh

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposesto review the electricity policy inrelation to the private sector in the country; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): As a part of the exercise for formulation of 12th Plan, a Working Group on Power was constituted under the chairmanship of the Secretary (Power), inter alia, has suggested changes in National Electricity Policy and Tariff Policy. The report of the Working Group has been submitted to the Planning Commission. The salient policy changes recommended by the Working Group are at Annex.