GOVERNMENT OF INDIA POWER LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2255 ANSWERED ON:24.08.2012 THERMAL POWER PROJECTS Bhujbal Shri Sameer ;Ju Dev Shri Dilip Singh;Solanki Shri Makhansingh;Vishwanath Shri katti Ramesh

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the details of proposals received from various State Governments forestablishment of new Thermal and Gasbased Projects in the country including Chhattisgarh, Maharashtra and Madhya Pradesh;

(b) the number of proposals underconsideration, rejected and sanctioned, State/UT-wise, project-wise; and

(c) the time by which pending proposalsare likely to be cleared by the UnionGovernment?

Answer

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

(a) : Techno-Economic Clearance of Central Electricity Authority is not required for thermal power projects following the enactment of Electricity Act, 2003.As such no proposals are received.

(b) & (c) : In view of reply of (a) above, do not arise.