

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

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RE STRUCTURED ACCELERATED POWER DEVELOPMENT AND REFORMS PROGRAMME .

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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Association of Geospatial Industries (AGI) has submitted a white paper to his Ministry on the experiences of re-structured accelerated power development and reforms programme in various States;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Union Government thereto;
- (c) the time by which the suggestions/recommendations of the AGI will be implemented by the Government; and
- (d) the action taken or being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI JYOTIRADITYA M. SCINDIA)

(a) : Yes, Madam. Association of Geospatial Industries (AGI) has submitted a white paper to Ministry of Power on the experiences of their members in implementation of Government of India's Re-structured Accelerated Power Development & Reforms Programme (R-APDRP) in various States.

(b) to (d) : The recommendations of AGI are mainly in the nature of operational issues and guidelines for expeditious and effective implementation of GIS (Geographic Information System) related work under R-APDRP. These recommendations are under examination in consultation with other stakeholders.