

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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MONITORING OF POWER PROJECTS
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government undertakes any assessment and monitoring of power projects;
- (b) if so, the details of the assessment and monitoring of various power projects completed during the last three years and the current year and the outcome thereof, project and State-wise;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the efforts made by the Government in this regard based on the above outcomes?

Answer

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

(a) to (d) : Government is monitoring the power projects which are under construction in the country. The progress of each project is monitored continuously through frequent site visits, interaction with the developers and critical study of monthly progress reports. Regular review of progress of project is done at the highest level in CEA and Ministry of Power for timely completion of projects. As a consequence of rigorous monitoring, 9,585 MW of capacity addition in 2009-10, 12,161 MW of capacity addition in 2010-11, 20,502 MW of capacity addition in 2011-12 and 9,839 MW of capacity addition during 2012-13 (till 30.11.2012) have been achieved. The project-wise and state-wise details of the hydro and thermal power projects commissioned during 2009-10, 2010- 11, 2011-12 and 2012-13 (till 30.11.2012) are enclosed at Annex-I and Annex- II, respectively.

The efforts made by the Government to achieve the targeted capacity addition include;

- (i) Augmentation of manufacturing capacity of BHEL from 10,000 MW in December, 2007 to 20,000 MW by 2012.
- (ii) Formation of several new joint ventures to manufacture super-critical boilers and turbine-generators for thermal power plants.
- (iii) Periodic review of issues related to supply of power equipment from BHEL by a group under the chairmanship of Secretary (Heavy Industry).