GOVERNMENT OF INDIA NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1998 ANSWERED ON:08.03.2013 TARGETS UNDER JNNSM Bajwa Shri Partap Singh

Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether the Government has been able to meet all the targets under the 1st phase of the Jawaharlal Nehru National Solar Mission (JNNSM);
- (b) if so, details thereof and if not, the reason therefore;
- (c) whether the Government is considering partnerships with domestic as well as international private firms, to increase the capacity of grid connected solar power generation; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reason therefor?

Answer

MINISTER FOR NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY (DR. FAROOQ ABDULLAH)

- (a):Yes Madam, the Government has been able to meet all the targets under the lst Phase of Jawaharlal Nehru National Solar Mission.
- (b):The details are as under:

Application segment Target for phase I (2010-13) Achievement for Phase-I

Grid solar power 1,100 MW 1,446 MW(including those (large plants, rooftop & under State initiative)
Distribution grid plants)

Off-grid solar applications 200 MW 223 MW

Solar Thermal Collectors (SWHs, solar cooking, solar 7 million sq. Metres 6.92 million sq. Metres. cooling, Industrial process heat applications, etc.)

(c)&(d):The Government of India is allocating grid connected power projects through a process of bidding wherein project developers both domestic and international can bid and put up a solar power generation unit.