GOVERNMENT OF INDIA NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5200 ANSWERED ON:26.04.2013 NAPCC Choudhry Smt. Shruti

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

- (a) whether the Government rely on country's wind power potential to meet the renewable energy target set under the National Action Plan on Climate Change for the 12th Five Year Plan; and
- (b) if so, the details worked out for the same in each State and the funds allocated and spent for the purpose so far?

Answer

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

- (a): The National Action Plan on Climate Change (NAPCC) has taken into consideration the renewable energy potential including wind power potential in outlining the approach for the development of renewable energy in the country.
- (b): In keeping with the objectives and approach of NAPCC, the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy has set a target of capacity addition of 29,800 MW from renewable energy sources during 12th Plan period. This includes 15,000 MW from wind, 10,000 MW from solar, 2,100 MW from small hydro and 2,700 MW from biomass including waste to energy. A Gross Budgetary Support of Rs. 19,113 crore has been allocated for the renewable energy activities for the 12th Plan period. State-wise physical targets and allocations are not made under renewable energy schemes / programmes.