GOVERNMENT OF INDIA POWER LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:783 ANSWERED ON:08.08.2013 FUNCTIONS OF PGCIL Bansal Shri Pawan Kumar

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the functions assigned to the Chandigarh office of the Power Grid Corporation of India Limited (PGCIL);
- (b) whether it has been observed that steps need to be taken to strengthen the working and upgradation of the establishment;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the steps taken/being taken in this regard?

Answer

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

- (a): Presently, Power Grid Corporation of India Limited's (PGCIL) Chandigarh office is assigned the following functions:
- # Inspection (Quality Assurance).
- # Liaising with State Government Offices including power, forest, wildlife, revenue, etc.
- # Liaising with Regional Ministry of Environment & Forest (RMoEF).
- # Marketing & Operations functions of POWERGRID Telecom.
- (b) to (d): POWERGRID has recently commissioned the 400/220kV Panchkula Sub-station which has adequate infrastructure and is in close vicinity to Chandigarh.