

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

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NTPC POWER PLANT IN JHARKHAND
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether local unrest over land issues in setting up of the National Thermal Power Corporation Limited (NTPC) power plant in Hazaribagh, Jharkhand has led to death and grievous injury to local people;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has initiated any high-level enquiry in this regard;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps taken/being taken to prevent recurrence of such incidents in future and to expedite the construction of the said power plant?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) :No, Madam. NTPC has not set up any power plant in Hazaribagh district of Jharkhand State.

(c) to (e) :In view of above (a) does not arise.