

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
POWER  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:50  
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POWER PLANT OF NTPC  
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**Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether any survey has been conducted to set up power plants of National Thermal Power Corporation Limited (NTPC) at Bilhaur, Hardoi and Sitapur areas of Uttar Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the steps taken/proposed to be taken for setting up of the same; and
- (c) the time by which power plants are likely to be set up in these areas and the estimated expenditure likely to be incurred for the same?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (c) : National Thermal Power Corporation Limited (NTPC) has planned to set up a 1320 MW (2x660 MW) power plant near Bilhaur (District Kanpur Nagar, Uttar Pradesh). NTPC is not pursuing any project in Hardoi and Sitapur districts of Uttar Pradesh.

The Feasibility Report for the Bilhaur project has been approved by NTPC and land acquisition is in progress. Fuel tie up has been achieved. Application has been made for water linkage. Investment approval of the competent authority would be sought after all clearances are in place. The cost would be firmed up thereupon.