

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
POWER  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4439  
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DISINTEGRATION OF POWER SUPPLY  
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**Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government proposes for disintegration of power supply and the distribution network for providing electricity supply to consumers; and

(b) if so, the details and the present status thereof?

**Answer**

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

(a) & (b) : Yes, Madam. In order to bring further competition and efficiency in distribution sector, a proposal for amendments in the Electricity Act, 2003, including separation of power supply and the distribution network business were uploaded on the website of Ministry of Power on 17th October, 2013 and also circulated to all stakeholders for comments. Based on comments received from stakeholders and further deliberations held in this regard, suitable amendments are under finalization.