

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
ATOMIC ENERGY  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2349  
ANSWERED ON:05.02.2014  
HIGH COST OF NUCLEAR POWER  
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**Will the Minister of ATOMIC ENERGY be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government is in a fix over the high cost of generation of nuclear power in the country; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken/being taken to address the issue?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY) :

- (a) No, Sir. The tariffs of nuclear power plants in operation are comparable to those from contemporary base load generating plants located in the area.
- (b) Does not arise.