GOVERNMENT OF INDIA POWER LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:439 ANSWERED ON:18.12.2009 POWER GENERATION Ahir Shri Hansraj Gangaram;Owaisi Shri Asaduddin

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has prepared any blue print for power generation beyond the Eleventh Five Year Plan;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has also formulated any action plan for expanding the power generation capacity of the National Thermal Power Corporation Limited (NTPC) power plants; and

(d) if so, the details thereof, project wise and State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF POWER(SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SHINDE)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF STARRED QUESTION NO.439 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 18-12-2009 REGARDING POWER GENERATION.

(a) & (b): The targets of electricity generation from the conventional sources are fixed on year to year basis and not for the Five Year Plan and beyond. The targets for generating capacity addition are fixed for a Five Year Plan. Working Group for finalizing the 12th Plan is yet to be set up by the Planning Commission. However, the estimated capacity addition requirement for the 12th Plan has been estimated by CEA to be of the order of 1,00,000 MW to meet the projected demand of electricity in the country as per 17th Electric Power Survey.

(c) & (d): NTPC is executing various thermal and hydro projects having a total capacity of 17,930 MW. The details of these under construction projects are enclosed at Annex-I. NTPC has also identified a basket of new projects with an aggregate capacity of 31,932 MW for which investment approval is yet to be obtained. Details of these new additional projects are given at Annex-II.