## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ATOMIC ENERGY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5819 ANSWERED ON:29.04.2015 SHORTAGE OF POWER S.R. Shri Vijay Kumar

## Will the Minister of ATOMIC ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the State Government of Tamil Nadu has requested the Union Government to allocate the entire power generated from the Kudankulam Nuclear Power Plant to Tamil Nadu as an ad-hoc measure in view of acute shortage of Power being faced by the State; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto?

## **Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (Dr. JITENDRA SINGH)

- (a) Yes, Sir.
- (b) Out of total capacity of 2000 MW of Kudankulam Nuclear Power Station, the firm share allocated to Tamil Nadu was 925 MW. Further, on request of the state, additional 200 MW out of 300 MW unallocated power available with the Central Government has been allocated to the State of Tamil Nadu.