

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:528

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INCENTIVES FOR DEVELOPMENT OF RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES

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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government provides fiscal and other incentives for the promotion and development of new and renewable energy sources in the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the details of the private power companies promoting and developing solar energy, wind energy, bio-gas plants and energy from municipal solid wastes in various States including Karnataka;
- (c) the total amount of subsidy granted/disbursed to these companies during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise; and
- (d) the energy/power produced by these companies during the last three years and the current year?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR POWER, COAL & NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a), (b), (c) & (d): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement referred to in reply to parts (a),(b),(c)&(d) of the Lok Sabha Starred Question No. 528 for answer on 14.08.2014 regarding Incentives for Development of Renewable Energy Sources.

(a): Yes, Madam. Government is providing various fiscal incentives such as generation based incentive, accelerated depreciation, concessional excise, customs duties, etc. for promotion of renewable energy sources in the country. Besides, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy is providing central financial assistance/subsidy for power generation from renewable energy sources which are given at Annexure-I.

(b): The details of the private power companies promoting and developing solar energy, wind energy, bio-gas plants and energy from municipal solid wastes in various States including Karnataka is given in Annexure-II.

(c): State-wise details of Central Finance Assistance/Subsidy provided to different states including companies implementing renewable power projects during the last three years and current year is given in Annexure-III.

(d): The renewable energy power projects are mostly installed in the private sector. The year-wise details of power capacity addition from wind, solar, biogas and from municipal solid wastes during the last three years and current year are given in Annexure-IV. The energy produced from various renewable energy sources during the last two years i.e. 2012-13 and 2013-14 was about 100 billion units.