

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
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SINGLE WINDOW CLEARANCES FOR UMPP
Deo Shri Arka Keshari

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to provide single window clearances for the Ultra Mega Power Projects (UMPP) in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government plans to initiate steps against those power companies which couldn't complete the projects in time; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

- (a) : No, Madam.
- (b) : Does not arise.
- (c) & (d) : Efforts made by the Government to expedite the completion of projects is as follows:

Separate Joint Monitoring Committees (JMCs) have been constituted for each of the four UMPPs already awarded under the Chairmanship of Member, Central Electricity Authority (CEA) with Co-Chairman from the concerned State, where UMPPs are located. Representatives from power procuring States, Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. (PGCIL) and Power Finance Corporation (PFC) are taken as Members of JMC. Regular meetings of the JMC are held to review the progress of UMPP and to facilitate resolution of issues, if any.