

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
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RELEASE OF FUNDS UNDER RGGVY
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) the total amount released by the Government under Rajiv Gandhi Grameen Vidyutikaran Yojana (RGGVY) during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (b) the amount out of it released to Uttar Pradesh during the said period;
- (c) the cost of a pole under the said Yojana; and
- (d) the cost fixed for transformer respectively having capacity of 400, 200, 100, 63 and 25 KVA under the said Yojana?

Answer

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

(a) : The total amount released by Government under Rajiv Gandhi Grameen Vidyutikaran Yojana (RGGVY) to Rural Electrification Corporation (REC), the nodal agency for implementation of the RGGVY scheme, during each of the last three years and current year, are as under:

S. No.	Financial Year	Subsidy (Rs. crore)
1.	2011-12	2237.31
2.	2012-13	697.94
3.	2013-14	2938.52
4.	2014-15 (up to 15.11.2014)	2218.32

(b) :The amounts out of total amount released under RGGVY by REC, the nodal agency for implementation of RGGVY scheme, to projects in respect of Uttar Pradesh during the above periods are as under :

S. No.	Financial Year	Subsidy (Rs. crore)
1.	2011-12	85.95
2.	2012-13	93.68
3.	2013-14	1094.19
4.	2014-15 (up to 15.11.2014)	167.73

(c) & (d) : Under RGGVY cost of pole, transformers and all other materials are not fixed by the Government. The implementing agencies prepare the estimates based on the approved Schedule of Rates (SOR) and submit the same for approval of REC, the nodal agency for implementation of the RGGVY scheme. Subsequent to approval, open tenders through competitive bidding are floated by the implementing agencies and after evaluation, the award is placed by the implementing agencies.