## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ATOMIC ENERGY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1726 ANSWERED ON:03.12.2014 ATOMIC ENERGY PLANTS Panda Shri Baijayant "Jay"

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

(a) the details of the number of atomic energy plants in the country;

(b) the number of plants commissioned after 2011, year-wise and State-wise;

(c) the details of energy generated through atomic energy, plant-wise; and

(d) the steps being taken for scaling up the capacity of these plants?

## Answer

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

(a) Currently, there are twenty nuclear power plants, in commercial domain, in the country with an installed capacity of 4780 MW. In addition, Kudankulam Nuclear Power Plant, Unit-1 (KKNPP-1) of capacity 1000 MW was synchronised to the grid in October, 2013.

(b) Kudankulam Nuclear Power Plant, Unit-1 (KKNPP-1) of capacity 1000 MW in Tamil Nadu state was connected to the southern grid in October, 2013. The unit achieved full power (1000 MW) on June 07, 2014. The unit has generated 2825 MUs of infirm power so far.

(c) The details of the capacity of the nuclear power plants, plant-wise are as tabulated below:

Location & States UNITS Capacity (MW) Generation in 2013-14 (MU) \$ Tarapur, Maharashtra TAPS-1 160 1322 TAPS-2 160 806 TAPS-3 540 3739 TAPS-4 540 4017 Rawatbhata, Rajasthan RAPS-1# 100 RAPS-2 200 1688 RAPS-3 220 1946 RAPS-4 220 1771 RAPS-5 220 2041 RAPS-6 220 1787 Kalpakkam, Tamil -Nadu MAPS-1 220 1354 MAPS-2 220 761 Narora, Uttar Pradesh NAPS-1 220 1490 NAPS-2 220 1214 Kakrapar, Gujarat KAPS-1 220 1862 KAPS-2 220 1891 Kaiga, Karnataka KGS-1 220 1587 KGS-2 220 1740 KGS-3 220 1758 KGS-4 220 1454

#Under Extended Shutdown since October 2004

\$ Generation figures are rounded off to the nearest digit and for the period from April 01, 2013 to March 31, 2014.

In addition, KKNPP-1(1000 MW) was connected to the grid in October 2013 and has generated 2825 MUs of infirm power so far.

(d) The indigenous Pressurised Heavy Water Reactors (PHWRs) design has been scaled up from 220 to 540 and now 700 MW capacity. New PHWR plants being set up are of 700 MW. The capacity of the reactors of Russian design now under construction / commissioning in Kudankulam is 1000 MW.