

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF POWER**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1813
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.12.2018**

ELECTRIFICATION OF VILLAGES

**1813. SHRI VINAYAK BHAURAO RAUT:
SHRI ANANDRAO ADSUL:
SHRI ADHALRAO PATIL SHIVAJIRAO:
SHRI DHARMENDRA YADAV:**

**Will the Minister of POWER
be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Union Government had claimed that 84% of rural households will have electricity connections till 2017;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof, Statewise;**
- (c) whether the Government has launched the “Saubhagya” scheme to provide connections to the remaining 3.4 crore unconnected households by 2019;**
- (d) if so, the number of households remained unconnected till October, 2018**
- (e) the names of the States which have provided electricity to all households; and**
- (f) the sources from which the funds are received to cover the rural households under the Saubhagya Scheme?**

A N S W E R

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR POWER
AND NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY**

(SHRI R. K. SINGH)

(a) & (b) : As reported by the States, there are 21.73 crore households in the country; of these 18.66 crore households were electrified as on 10.10.2017. The details are given at Annexure-I.

(c) to (f) : Government of India launched Pradhan Mantri Sahaj Bijli Har Ghar Yojana – “Saubhagya” with the objective to achieve universal household electrification by providing electricity connections to all households in rural and all poor households in urban areas by March, 2019. Under Saubhagya, Government of India provides funds to the States to the extent of 60% (85% for special category states) as grant. An additional grant of 15% (5% for special category states) is also available subject to achievement of 100% household electrification by 31st December 2018. As on 31.10.2018, under the scheme 1.18 crore households remain un-electrified. The names of the States which have provided electricity to all households as reported by them is given at Annexure-II.

ANNEXURE-I**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1813 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 20.12.2018.**

Status of Households Electrification as reported by States

Sl. No.	Name of the State	Total number of Households	Number of households electrified as on 10.10.2017
1	Andhra Pradesh	1,14,25,758	1,12,81,072
2	Arunachal Pradesh	3,05,547	2,55,185
3	Assam	65,15,583	46,11,773
4	Bihar	1,39,73,122	1,07,14,081
5	Chhattisgarh	56,56,770	49,55,330
6	Goa	1,28,208	1,28,208
7	Gujarat	1,14,14,532	1,13,73,215
8	Haryana	34,66,874	34,08,052
9	Himachal Pradesh	18,56,990	18,36,911
10	Jammu & Kashmir	24,39,547	20,72,861
11	Jharkhand	65,60,031	48,92,518
12	Karnataka	1,02,57,659	97,67,245
13	Kerala	98,13,032	98,13,032
14	Madhya Pradesh	1,26,21,007	1,06,36,743
15	Maharashtra	2,42,49,145	2,33,03,595
16	Manipur	4,53,047	3,48,410
17	Meghalaya	6,20,082	4,35,963
18	Mizoram	2,41,682	2,13,909
19	Nagaland	4,31,123	3,02,267
20	Odisha	96,02,597	72,00,359
21	Puducherry	95,616	94,704
22	Punjab	36,89,970	36,89,584
23	Rajasthan	1,29,44,395	1,08,59,210
24	Sikkim	80,498	71,203
25	Tamil Nadu	1,02,85,848	1,02,83,678
26	Telangana	65,15,907	60,84,656
27	Tripura	7,88,787	6,52,463
28	Uttar Pradesh	3,38,50,906	2,12,06,385
29	Uttarakhand	20,44,596	18,44,305
30	West Bengal	1,50,57,882	1,43,25,592
	Total	21,73,86,741	18,66,62,509

ANNEXURE-II

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (c) TO (f) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1813 TO BE ANSWERED IN THE LOK SABHA ON 20.12.2018.

Name of the States which have provided electricity to all households

Sl. No.	Name of the State
1	Andhra Pradesh
2	Bihar
3	Goa
4	Gujarat
5	Haryana
6	Himachal Pradesh
7	Jammu & Kashmir
8	Kerala
9	Madhya Pradesh
10	Mizoram
11	Puducherry
12	Punjab
13	Sikkim
14	Tamil Nadu
15	Telangana
16	Tripura
17	Uttarakhand
18	West Bengal
