major target. Setting up of a super thermal power project in the region is part of the efforts for the development of Bundelkhand region. The proposed power project at Barethi will boost the overall development of the Bundelkhand region of Madhya Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh.

- (c) The Government of Madhya Pradesh has given in principle commitment for availability of 910.494 Ha of land and 150 cusecs of water for the project.
 - (d) The project is expected to be commissioned during the 12th Plan.

Thermal power projects of NTPC and NPCIL

†2393. SHRI JAI PRAKASH: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) the annual power generation capacity of thermal power projects established by the National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) and NPCIL respectively in Uttar Pradesh;
 - (b) the share allocated to the State from the power generated from these projects;
 - (c) whether it is according to the population of the State; and
 - (d) if not, the steps being taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI BHARATSINH SOLANKI):

(a) The installed capacity of thermal projects established by NTPC and nuclear power station established by NPCIL in Uttar Pradesh is 8803 MW and 440 MW respectively. The annual power generation from thermal/nuclear units depends on a number of factors, namely availability of the required quantity and quality of fuel, outages of the units for planned maintenance and forced shut down, etc.

(b) The firm share allocation to the state of Uttar Pradesh from the thermal/ nuclear projects established by NTPC/NPCIL in U.P is 3,429 MW (as on 31.07.2010) which works out to approximately 37% of the installed capacity as per details given below:

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

NTPC Projects	Capacity Allocated to Northern Region (MW)	Allocation to Uttar Pradesh (MW)
Rihand STPS	1000	326
Rihand STPS Stg II	1000	296
Unchahar -I TPS	420	250
Unchahar - II TPS	420	129
Unchahar - III TPS (Unit 5)	210	63
Dadri NCTPS	1820	574
Dadri NCGPS	830	246
Auraiya GPS	663	213
Tanda TPS	440	440
Total (NTPC)	8803	3291
NPCIL Projects		
Narora APS	440	138
Total	9243	3429

In addition to the above the state has also been provided with 599 to 683 MW power from unallocated power of various Central Generating Stations including NTPC/NPCIL stations.

(c) and (d) The allocation of share from central sector power station is generally done in accordance with the formula for allocation of power which is being treated as guidelines with effect from 27th April, 2000. The formula gives equal weightage to central plan assistance allocation and energy consumption for the previous five years. While allocating central plan assistance, due consideration is given to the population of the state. Thus population is given due weightage while allocating power from central generating stations.