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**Advisory committee for power sector**

921. SHRI A. ELAVARASAN: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry has set up an advisory committee to discuss issues relating to the power sector and suggest reforms;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the initiative will solve many problems in the sector including the problem of fuel shortage which has threatened the viability of the sector; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI JYOTIRADITYA MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) to (d) An Advisory Group has been set-up in January, 2013 under the chairmanship of the Minister of State for Power (Independent Charge) to discuss issues relating to the power sector. A copy of the order constituting the Advisory Group is given in the Statement (*See* below).

The Advisory Group has been set up to discuss and deliberate periodically issues pertaining to the power sector and suggest reforms in different areas relating to the sector for addressing various issues for resolving numerous problems, including fuel shortage, which are being experienced by the power sector.

**Statement**

*Copy of the order constituting the Advisory Group*

*F. No. 2/19/2009 - P&P*

*Government of India*

*Ministry of Power*

*(Planning Division)*

Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg  
New Delhi, the 31st January, 2013

**OFFICE ORDER**

An Advisory Group is set up under the Chairmanship of the Minister of State for Power (Independent Charge) to discuss and deliberate periodically issues pertaining to the power sector and suggest reforms in different areas relating to the sector. The Group will comprise the following:

1. Chairperson: Minister of Power for State (I/C).

**Members:**

2. Secretary Power.
3. Chairman (CEA).
4. Shri Cyrus Mistry, Chairman, Tata Group - Power Producer.
5. Shri Anil Ambani, Chairman, ADAG.
6. Shri Sudhir Mehta, Chairman, Torrent Group.
7. Shri Manoj Gaur, Executive Chairman & CEO, JayPee Group.
8. Shri R.N. Nayak, CMD, Power Grid Corporation India Limited.
9. Shri S.K. Soonee, CEO, POSOCO.
10. Shri Pratip Chowdhary, Chairman, State Bank of India.
11. Ms. Chanda Kochhar, MD & CEO, ICICI Bank.
12. Shri B.P. Rao, CMD, BHTL.
13. Shri Baba N. Kalyani, Chairman, Kalyani Group (Bharat Forge Limited).
14. Dr. R.K. Pachauri, Director General, TERI.

15. Mr. R.V. Shahi, Ex Secretary, Power, Government of India.
16. Shri P.K. Sengupta, Ex. Chairman, CIL.
17. Shri Vishwanath Anand, Ex. Secretary, MoE&F, Government of India.
18. Shri Vinayak Chatterjee, Chairman, Feedback Ventures Private Limited.
19. Shri Vivek Pandit, McKinsey & Company.
20. Chairman or Vice Chairman, Association of Power Producers (by designation)
21. Shri Harry Dhaul, Director General - IPPAI.
22. Shri GM Rao, Chairman — GMR
2. Additional Secretaries of Ministry of Power shall be permanent invitees.
3. The Group will be serviced by the Central Electricity Authority (CEA), which will provide all assistance to the Group for smooth discharge of its functions. Ms Neerja Mathur, Chief Engineer, CEA would act as Secretary to the Group.
4. Members of the Group will not be entitled to any remuneration but outstation members not serving any organization will be paid TA and DA as admissible under Rules. The expenditure will be debitable to major Head 3451, Secretariat — Economic Services, 00.090 Secretariat (Minor Head), 03 Ministry of Power, 03.00.11 Domestic Travel Expenses under Demand No. 75, Ministry of Power for the year 2012-13.
5. This issues with the approval of Hon'ble Minister of State for Power (Independent Charge).

**(Manoranjan Kumar)**

Economic Adviser

To

1. All Members of the Advisory Group.
2. Secretary of the Advisory Group.

Copy to:

PS to MoSP (IC).  
PPS to Secretary (Power)  
Chairperson, CEA, New Delhi  
AS(AL)/AS(DC)  
All JSs/EA  
PAO, MOP.

**Power generation during the current year**

922. SHRI AMBETH RAJAN: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the electricity generated in MW during the current financial year;
- (b) whether it is in line with the target fixed in MW for the current financial year 2012-13;
- (c) if so, the details of the electricity generated from all sources; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI JYOTIRADITYA MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) to (d) The term Mega Watt (MW) refers to the capacity of a generating station; the actual electricity generation from a generating station is expressed in Million Unit (MU). Generation targets are fixed on year to year basis. Generation targets from various conventional sources for the current financial year 2012-13 has been fixed as 9,30,000 Million Unit (MU). The gross electricity generation in the country from various conventional energy sources, namely thermal, hydro, nuclear and import of hydro power from Bhutan during 2012-13 (April, 2012 to January, 2013) is 7,62,668 MU against the target of 7,71,866 MU which is 98.8%. Source-wise details are given below:

Source	2012-13	April, 2012 to January, 2013		
	Target (MU)	Target (MU)	Actual (MU)	Achievement (%)
Thermal	7,67,275	6,30,791	6,31,437	100.1
Nuclear	35,200	28,713	27,450	95.6
Hydro	1,22,045	1,07,191	99,071	92.4
Bhutan Import	5,480	5,171	4,710	91.1
TOTAL	9,30,000	7,71,866	7,62,668	98.8

The less generation in nuclear is due to delay in commissioning of Kudankulam Nuclear Power Project. Less generation in hydro including import from Bhutan is due to poor monsoon in Southern, Eastern and North-Eastern regions.

The peak electricity demand met during the current year (April, 2012 to January, 2013) is 1,23,294 MW.