

during 2012-13 and in the current financial year to enable the State to become self-reliant in power generation; and

- (c) whether the State Government has utilized these funds?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL): (a) The generation of Electricity in Rajasthan has increased from 35250.88 Million Units (MUs) in 2010-11 to 42365.83 MUs in 2012-13.

(b) As Electricity Generation is a delicensed activity as per Electricity Act, 2003, the Generation project developer arranges the funds for the generation project(s).

- (c) Does not arise.

New power projects in the country

723. SHRI BAISHNAB PARIDA: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is proposed to set up around 13 power projects worth ₹ 33,000 crores in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the location of such plants in the country;

(c) quantum of power that would be generated by such power plants; and

(d) how far this would help to bridge the gap between demand and supply of power?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL): (a) to (d) Cabinet Committee on Investment (CCI) in its meeting held on 22.04.2013 cleared 13 power projects involving an investment of about ₹33,000 crores. Details of these projects, along with the location and quantum of power likely to be generated, are given in Statement (*See* below). Commissioning of the thermal and hydro generation projects would help further bridge the gap between the demand and supply of power in the country by 4,404 MW.

Statement				
Sl. No.	Name of the Project	Location	Mode of the Project	Total Project Cost (₹ in crores)
1	2	3	4	5
Transmission Projects				
1.	Kameng-Balipara 400kV D/C line 98.25 Ha (Assam)	Assam and Arunachal Pradesh	Public (PGCIL)	65
2.	Kameng-Balipara 400 KV D/C line 133.56 Ha (Arunachal Pradesh)	Assam and Arunachal Pradesh	Public (PGCIL)	Included in S. No. 1
3.	Pooling Station Bilaspur – Ranchi 765kV S/C Line 302.368 Ha (Chhattisgarh)	Chhattisgarh and Jharkhand	Public (PGCIL)	458
4.	Nellore-Kurnool 765 kV line 66 Ha (Andhra Pradesh)	Andhra Pradesh	Public (PGCIL)	625.8
5.	Silchar – Purba Kanchan Bari (TSECL) 400kV D/C 13.8 ha (Assam)	Assam and Tripura	Public (PGCIL)	204
6.	Silchar- Melriat (New) 400 KV D/C line 22.7ha (Assam)	Assam and Mizoram	Public (PGCIL)	168
7.	Rihand-Vindhyachal 765 KV D/c TL, 104.902 Ha (Madhya Pradesh)	UP & MP	Public (PGCIL)	100

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8.	Raigarh (Tamnar)-Raigarh (Kotra) 765 kV D/C 25.5 Ha (Chhattisgarh)	Chhattisgarh	Public (PGCIL)	145
9.	Satna-Gwalior 765 kV S/C TL 31.68 Ha (Uttar Pradesh)	MP & UP	Public (PGCIL)	532
10.	Sasan-Satna ckt. II 765 KV S/C 128.553 Ha. (Madhya Pradesh)	MP	Public (PGCIL)	374
Hydro Projects (Total 444 MW)				
1.	Vishnugad Pipalkoti Hydro Electric Project (444 MW)	Located on River Alaknanda, Dist. Chamoli, Uttarakhand	Public (THDC)	Approved Cost : 2491.58 at March '08 PL
Thermal Projects (Total 3,960 MW)				
1.	North Karanpura TPP (3x660 MW)	Jharkhand	Public (NTPC)	15,000 (approx.)
2.	Nabinagar Super Thermal Power Project, Stage-I (3 × 660 MW)	Near Nabinagar in Aurangabad district in Bihar	Nabinagar Power Generating Co. Limited (A Joint Venture of NTPC & BSEB)	13624.01