SI. No.	Name	District	Capacity in MW
17	Sangad	Almora	0.050
18	Bagad	Bagagushar	0.050
19	Litti	Bagagushar	0.050
20	Lathi	Bagagushar	0.100
21	Toli ·	Bagagushar	0.100
22	Gorichana	Pauri	0.100
23	Dadoli Tili	Pauri	0.100
24	Dadoli Mili	P a uri	0.100
25 ———	Titt	Pauri	0.100
	Total:	25.170	

MW=Mega watt

Power Generation from Non-Conventional Energy Sources

2302. SHRI T.T.V. DHINAKARAN: Will the Minister of NON-CONVEN-TIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) the quantum of power generated from Non-Conventional Energy Sources during the Ninth Plan period;
- (b) the target of power generation set to be achieved during the Tenth Plan period; and
 - (c) the steps taken by Government to achieve the target?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVEN-TIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI VILAS MUTTEMWAR): (a) 1340 MW power generation capacity has been added through grid interactive renewable power projects during the 9th Plan period.

(b) A target of 3075 MW capacity addition through grid interactive renewable power generation has been set during the 10th Plan period.

(c) The Ministry is implementing various programmes/schemes and providing central financial assistance for setting up grid interactive renewable power projects. In addition, fiscal incentives and accelerated depreciation are also available for setting up of grid interactive power projects.

Seminar of Energy Ministers of States

2303 SHRI DHARAM PAL SABHARWAL Will the Minister of NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether in a seminar of Energy Ministers of States held at Delhi in June the Central Government had announced that all the 25 thousand villages in remote and far flung areas of the country will be energized through non-conventional energy sources, solar lanterns will be supplied free in these villages, more non-conventional energy centres will be set up throughout the country and solar energy equipments selling outlets will be set up in each district,
- (b) if so, the State-wise details of the schemes proposed to be implemented to achieve the above goals, and
- (c) the conclusions derived in this seminar and recommendation made therein?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVEN-TIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI VILAS MUTTEMWAR) (a) and (b) A Conference of Ministers of Power and Renewable Energy was organized by the Ministry of Non-Conventional Energy Sources of June 29, 2004 at New Delhi to discuss about implementation of renewable energy programmes in the States. The Ministry's Programme for electrification of remote villages through non-conventional energy sources being implemented in various States was discussed. About 25,000 remote villages have been identified in 24 States. The target for the 10th Plan is to electrify 5000 remote villages. A total of 1738 remote villages have so far been electrified and projects are under implementation in another 1356 villages.

Re-introduction of Central subsidy for solar lanterns is planned for which the modalities are to be worked out. The proposal for setting up of Renewable Energy Centres for awareness creation, demonstration and training will be developed and finalized after getting the views of the State Government and their consent for providing land for these Centres. About 30 acres of land will be required for this purpose.