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(d) UDAY provides that 25% of balance debt, as on 30-09-2015, remaining in the books of DISCOMs would either be converted as loans/bonds by banks/financial institutions or issued as State guaranteed DISCOM bonds at lower interest rates. This lower rate of interest on the balance debt of DISCOMs would result in reduction in interest cost as well as average cost of supply for the DISCOMs.

Power projects in Uttar Pradesh under Central Government

†1751. SHRI SURENDRA SINGH NAGAR: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the details of power projects in Uttar Pradesh under the Central Government along with their capacity; and

(b) the details of ongoing projects and ensuing projects along with their capacity and cost of production and by when are they likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI RAJ KUMAR SINGH): (a) and (b) In Uttar Pradesh, there are 8 commissioned and 3 ongoing, Central Sector Power Projects with an installed capacity of 10,743.14 MW and 4,620 MW respectively; details of these projects are given in the Statement-I and Statement-II respectively.

Statement-I

Details of commissioned central sector power projects in Uttar Pradesh

S1. N	o. Name of Project	Organization	Fuel	Capacity (MW)
1.	Narora Atomic Power Station	NPCIL	Nuclear	440.00
2.	Auraiya Combined Cycle Power Plant	NTPC	Thermal	663.36
3.	Dadri Combined Cycle Power Plant	NTPC	Thermal	829.78
4.	Dadri National Capital Thermal Power Project	NTPC	Thermal	1820.00
5.	Rihand Super Thermal Power Station	NTPC	Thermal	3000.00
6.	Singrauli Super Thermal Power Station	NTPC	Thermal	2000.00
7.	Tanda Thermal Power Station	NTPC	Thermal	440.00
8.	Unchahar Thermal Power Station	NTPC	Thermal	1550.00
	Total			10743.14

NTPC: National Thermal Power Corporation Limited.

NPCIL: Nuclear Power Corporation of India Limited.

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

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Statement-II

Details of ongoing Central sector power projects in Uttar Pradesh

S1. N	Io. Project Name	Organization	Unit No.	Capacity (MW)	Commissioning Schedule	Cost (₹ In crore)			
(A) '	Thermal Power Pro	ojects							
1.	Meja Super Thermal Power Plant	JV of NTPC & UPRVUNL	U-1 U-2	660 660	January, 2018 January, 2019	10821			
2.	Ghatampur Thermal Power Plant	JV of NLC & UPRVUNL	U-1 U-2 U-3	660 660 660	November, 2020 May, 2021 September, 2021	17238			
3.	Tanda Thermal Power Plant	NTPC	U-1 U-2	660 660	December, 2018 June, 2019	9189			
B.	Hydro Electric Project (above 25 MW)								
	Nil								
C.	Nuclear Power Projects								
	Nil								
	Total capacity: 4620 MW								

NTPC: National Thermal Power Corporation Ltd.

NLC: Neyveli Lignite Corporation Ltd.

UPRVUNL: Uttar Pradesh Rajya Vidyut Utpadan Nigam Ltd.

Free power to farmers

1752. SHRIMATI RAJANI PATIL: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has made provisions to give free power to the farmers in the country;

if so, the details thereof, project-wise, State-wise; (b)

(c) whether any compensation has been paid to the farmers in various States including Maharashtra for the land acquired from them for thermal/hydro power projects; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?