GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY

RAJYA SABHA

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SOLAR PANELS FOR GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS

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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government is considering to bring any scheme to install solar power panels in various Government schools that will help schools to reduce their electricity bill and the students to study without any trouble from power cuts; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and, if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND POWER

(SHRI R.K. SINGH)

(a)&(b): Under phase II of the Grid Connected Rooftop Solar (RTS) Programme, incentives of 5% of the benchmark cost for capacity addition beyond 10% and up to 15%; and incentives of 10% of the benchmark cost for capacity addition beyond 15% are provided to DISCOMs for achieving RTS capacity addition in all sectors including Government sector in a financial year above the baseline capacity as on 31st March of the previous year.
