GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1729

ANSWERED ON-03/08/2021

SOLAR POWER GENERATION IN NORTH EASTERN STATES

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

- (a) the targeted solar power generation in the country and the target set for Northeast India;
- (b) the status of implementation of the Solar Parks Scheme and Ultra Mega Solar Power Projects; and
- (c) the details of the solar parks schemes and Ultra Mega Solar Power projects implemented in Northeast India along with the funds allocated and spent, the implementing agencies, the power generated, and the status of their implementation, state wise, and project –wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND POWER

(SHRI R.K. SINGH)

- (a) The Government has set a target for installation of 100 GW grid connected solar energy generation capacity by December, 2022 in the country, including North-East India.
- (b) The Government has approved 43 solar parks with aggregate capacity of around 32,901 MW in 14 States in the country so far. An aggregate capacity of 8,795 MW of solar projects has been commissioned so far inside 13 solar parks.
- (c) The State wise, details of solar parks sanctioned in North-East India under the scheme for "Development of Solar Parks and Ultra Mega Solar Power Projects", alongwith funds allocated and spent, implementing agencies and status of implementation are given in **Annexure**. No power has been generated so far in those parks as no project has been commissioned inside them as yet.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (C) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1729 FOR 03.08.2021

State-wise park-wise status of Solar Parks in Northeast India

SI. No.	State	Name of Solar Park & Capacity (MW)	Name of the Implementing Agencies / Solar Power Parks Developer (SPPD)	Fund allocated	Fund spent	Status of implementation
1.	Manipur	20 MW Bukpi Solar Park (Bukpi Village, Pherzawl District)	Manipur Tribal Development Corporation Ltd. (MTDCL)	CFA @20 Lakh/MW or 30 % of the	Rs. 10.00 Lakh towards preparation of DPR	 DPR submitted. Land acquired: 100 acres. Tendering process initiated for the solar park infrastructure. Tender for solar projects yet to be issued.
2.	Meghalaya	20 MW Suchen & Thamar Solar Park (Thamar, West Jaintia Hills & Suchen, East Jaintia Hills Districts)	Meghalaya Power Generation Corporation Ltd (MePGCL)	Project Cost whicheve r is lower on achievem ent of milestone	Rs. 3.07 Lakh towards preparation of DPR	 DPR submitted. Land acquired: 83 acres. Power evacuation has been planned and infrastructure development in process. Tender issued for setting up of solar projects inside solar park.
3.	Mizoram	20 MW Vankal Solar Park (Vankal Village, Champhai District)	Power & Electricity (P&E) Department	s as per Solar Park Scheme	Rs. 10.00 Lakh towards preparation of DPR	 DPR submitted. Land acquired: 140 acres. Around 95 % infrastructure development works completed. 20 MW solar project in the park is under implementation.