

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 936**  
ANSWERED ON 11/02/2025

**STATUS OF MODEL SOLAR VILLAGE UNDER PM SURYA GHAR: MUFT BIJLI  
YOJANA**

936. SHRI SUJEET KUMAR

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

- (a) the number of villages selected under the model solar village component of the PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana;
- (b) the current implementation status of the scheme in these villages; and
- (c) the number of villages successfully transitioned to solar energy and the extent of solar energy usage in these villages?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND POWER**

**(SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)**

(a) to (c) The PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana includes a component to develop one model solar village in each district of the country by selection in a six months challenge mode as per operational guidelines issued by the Ministry on 09.08.2024. After completion of the challenge mode, the model solar villages will be selected and established. The states/UTs are yet to report completion of the challenge mode.

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