

Power projects by REC

1881. SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Rural Electrification Corporation has undertaken a number of projects covering power generation, and power conservation, transmission and distribution in the country; and

(b) if so, the details of the projects undertaken in J&K State?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA): (a) Rural Electrification Corporation (REC) provides financial assistance and in this manner supplements the resources of State Electricity Boards (SEBs)/State Power Utilities/ State Governments/Power Entities for various projects in generation, transmission and distribution including rural electrification sponsored by the borrowing entities.

(b) Details of REC financed schemes being undertaken by Jammu & Kashmir Electricity Board (JKEB) and Jammu & Kashmir Power Development Corporation (JKPDC) in Jammu & Kashmir as on 31.3.2003 are as under:

Programme	No. of Projects	(Rs. in crores)	
		Loan amount sanctioned	Loan amount disbursed
Intensive Electrification	39	62.67	32.06
Pumpset Energization	10	11.81	5.35
System Improvement	85	256.47	118.31
Generation	8	52.75	25.20
TOTAL :	142	383.70	180.92

More power to U.P. from Central Pool

†1882. SHRI MUNAVVAR HASAN: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government of Uttar Pradesh have sought more share of power from Central pool;

†Original notice of the Question was received in Hindi.