

Revision of Commission

6155. SHRI P.C. CHACKO : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether Kerala Federation of Petroleum Traders have urged the Union Government to enhance commission on the sale of petrol and diesel by retail dealers throughout the country;

(b) if so, when the last revision in commission was done;

(c) whether the Government propose to take any action to revise commission on the sale of petrol and diesel by retail dealers;

(d) if so, by when, and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI T.R. BAALU): (a) to (e) Various representations have been received for revising the rates of commission. Accordingly, a Committee has been constituted to examine the demands raised by the Dealers/Distributors for revision in the Commission.

The current rates of Dealers commission are effective from 3.7.1996 in case of MS and 7.7.1996 in case of HSD.

*[Translation]***Power Projects in U.P.**

6156. SHRI SHOHANBEER SINGH : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the names of power projects in Uttar Pradesh;

(b) the locations and capacity of these power plants;

(c) whether the Government are aware that these plants are generating power below their capacity; and

(d) if so, the names of such power plants and the action taken by the Government to increase the power generation thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (DR. S. VENUGOPALACHARI): (a) to (c) The requisite details are given in the attached statement.

(d) Various measures being taken to increase the generation in Uttar Pradesh includes maximising the generation from existing capacity, early stabilisation of new generating capacity, implementation of Renovation and Modernisation Programme, reduction in Transmission and Distribution (T&D) losses, effective load management and energy conservation measures and obtaining assistance from neighbouring States/System.

Statement*State-wise Details of Power Stations In Uttar Pradesh And Its Generation During 1996-97*

Name of the Station	Location	Generating Capacity (MW)	Energy Generation 1996-97		
			Target (MU)	Achievement (MU)	%
1	2	3	4	5	6
UPSEB :					
Thermal :					
Obra 1-13	Sone Bhadra	1442.0	5800	3634	62.7
Panki	Kanpur	274.0	800	846	105.7
Harduaganj	Aligarh	375.0	900	607	67.4
Paricha	Jhansi	220.0	830	543	65.4
Anpara	Sone Bhadra	1630.0	10500	11696	111.4
Tanda	Ambedkar Nagar	330.0	1200	1088	90.7
Hydro :					
Rihand	Sone Bhadra	300.0	800	925	115.6
Obra Hy.	Sone Bhadra	99.0	280	363	129.6
Ramaganga	Bijnor	198.0	250	338	135.2
Matitila	Lalitpur	30.0	120	120	100.0
Khatima	Nainital	41.4	230	210	91.3
Ganga Canal	Bhadradab	20.4	170	176	103.5
Chila	Haridwar	144.0	725	612	84.4