

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
POWER  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:312  
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HYDRO ELECTRIC PLANTS IN BIHAR  
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**Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether there are several big reservoirs in Purnia district in Bihar;
- (b) if so, whether hydro-electricity is being generated from all the reservoirs;
- (c) if so, whether the Government have prepared any scheme to set up hydro-electric plant in Purnia;
- (d) if so, the time by which it is likely to be set up; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER ( SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA )

- (a) : According to the Central Water Commission, there is no big reservoir in Purnia District in Bihar.
- (b) to (e) : Do not arise in view of reply to (a) above.