

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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HYDEL AND THERMAL POWER PROJECTS IN ARUNACHAL PRADESH
JARBOM GAMLIN

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) the number and names of Hydel and Thermal Power Projects to be started in the State of Arunachal Pradesh during the current year;
- (b) the target dates fixed for their completion, project-wise; and
- (c) the reasons for the delay in their commencement, if any?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER

(SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) to (c) : No sanctioned Hydro/Thermal Power Projects above 3MW is programmed to be started in the State of Arunachal Pradesh during the current year. However, Ranganadi H.E. Project (3x135 MW) is under execution by NEEPCO in Arunachal Pradesh and is likely to be commissioned during 2001-02.

The following small hydro power projects upto 3 MW capacity are under construction in the State Sector in Arunachal Pradesh:-

- (1) Siddip (3 MW)
- (2) Sipit (2 MW)
- (3) Liromoba (2 MW)
- (4) Kitpi (3 MW)
- (5) Domkrone (2 MW)
- (6) Kush (2 MW)

None of the above projects are likely to be delay in completing these projects is lack of State Plan Allocations.

Further, NHPC is considering execution of small hydro schemes namely Kambang (2x1.5 MW), Sippi (2x1.5MW) and Jugdin (3x1 MW) in Arunachal Pradesh Agreement with Arunachal Pradesh has been signed on 11.1.2000 for Kambang Project. NHPC have signed a n MOU with Government of Arunachal Pradesh in January, 2000 for the execution of Kambang project. The project is proposed to be completed within a period of two years after the approval of updated cost estimate by the Government of Arunachal Pradesh and the Ministry of Non-conventional Energy Sources. The MOU for Sippi and Jugdin projects are yet to be signed and therefore, their target dates for completion are not known.