

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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WORK ON NCES IN BIHAR
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Will the Minister of NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) the quantum of electricity generating from NCES in Bihar during the last three years;
- (b) the total number of projects of NCES commissioned in the above State and the detail of the amount of expenditure involved thereon, location-wise and project-wise; and
- (c) the progress achieved during the above period in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI M. KANNAPPAN)

- (a): About 317 million units of power have been generated from Non-conventional Energy Sources during the last three years, i.e., 2000-01 to 2002-03 in Bihar.
- (b)&(c): Four small hydro power (SHP) projects aggregating to 44.90 MW have already been set up in Bihar with State funds. These projects are Sone Western Canal (6.6 MW) at Dehri, District Rohtas, Sone Eastern Canal (2.3 MW) at Barun, District Aruangabad Eastern Gandhak Canal (15 MW) at Valmiki Nagar, District West Champaran, and Kosi Canal (20 MW) at Kataiya, District Supaul. In addition, 10 more SHP State funded projects with a total capacity of 15 MW are under different stages of implementation. Besides, 46 Detailed Survey & Investigation and Detailed Project Reports have been prepared.