

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

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IMPLEMENTATION OF SUBANSIRI HYDEL POWER PROJECT
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) Per-capita availability of power in Assam and other States in the North-Eastern Region, and how it compares with all-India figures, in rural and urban areas separately;
- (b) whether per-capita availability of power in these States are likely to be increased with the implementation of the Subansiri Hydel Power Project;
- (c) whether there will be surplus power after implementation of this project; and
- (d) how this surplus power is proposed to be utilized?

Answer

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

(a) : The Per-Capita Consumption of Power in Assam and other States in the North- Eastern Region and all India Average for the year 2001-02 are given below :

Per Capita Consumption # (KWH)

Assam	99.42	
Arunachal Pradesh	68.33	
Manipur	69.43	
Meghalaya	235.35	
Mizoram	147.09	
Nagaland	57.19	
Tripura	108.75	
North Eastern Region	104.49	
All India	360.97	

Rural/Urban bifurcation is not being maintained.

(b) to (d) : Subansiri Lower, HEP, 2000 MW has been cleared by CEA for likely benefits during 11th Plan. The Per-Capita availability of Power would improve with the implementation of the project. Power from the project is likely to be absorbed in deficit regions of the country.