

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

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THERMAL POWER PLANT AT MALWA
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have a proposal to set up a thermal power plant at Malwa in M.P.;
- (b) if so, the installed capacity of that power plant; and
- (c) the steps taken to set up that power plant?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) : Madhya Pradesh State Electricity Board have proposed to set up a thermal power plant of 1000 MW (2x500 MW) capacity at Malwa in Madhya Pradesh.

(c) : The Project has been identified for capacity addition during the 11th Plan. The implementation of the Project could be taken up after all the essential inputs/clearances are tied up and technical standards relating to connectivity to the grid is complied with. As per new Electricity Act 2003, Techno-Economic Clearance (TEC) of Central Electricity Authority (CEA) is not required for the Project.