GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY **RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2084** TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.12.2021

NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS IN THE COUNTRY

2084 Shri G. C. Chandrashekhar:

Will the Prime Minister be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government would like to share the information regarding the world's largest nuclear plant in India, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether Government has identified the locations for the proposed nuclear plant, if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) details of the ongoing research in this regard?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (DR.JITENDRA SINGH):

- (a) The Government has accorded 'In-Principle' approval of the site at Jaitapur in Maharashtra for setting up six nuclear power reactors of 1650 MW each in technical cooperation with France which would make it the largest nuclear power generating site with a total capacity of 9900 MW.
- (b) Yes, Sir. The project is proposed to be setup at Jaitapur site in Ratnagiri district of Maharashtra.
- Presently, techno commercial discussions to arrive at the project proposal with M/s. EDF, France are in progress.
