GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.*266

TO BE ANSWERED ON 12.12.2019

CONSTRUCTION OF NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS

*266. SHRI R. VAITHILINGAM:

Will the PRIME MINISTERbe pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Government is considering to speed upconstruction of nuclear power plants in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether it is also a fact that 17 new reactors were in the pipeline of which seven are already under construction; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a)to(d) A statement is placed on the Table of the House.

Government of India Department of Atomic Energy

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *266 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 12.12.2019 BY SHRI R. VAITHILINGAM REGARDING CONSTRUCTION OF NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS.

- (a) Yes, Sir.
- (b) The Government has accorded administrative approval and financial sanction for 12 new reactors with a capacity of 9000 MW, in addition to the reactors already under construction to speed up nuclear power capacity addition.
- (c) There are presently nine (9) reactors under construction and pre-project activities are in progress at the twelve (12) reactors accorded sanction.

(d) The details are as follows:

Project	Location & State	Capacity (MW)
Projects under Construction		
KAPP 3&4	Kakrapar, Gujarat	2x700
RAPP 7&8	Rawatbhata, Rajasthan	2X700
KKNPP 3&4	Kudankulam, Tamil Nadu	2X1000
GHAVP 1&2	Gorakhpur, Haryana	2x700
PFBR (BHAVINI)	Kalpakkam, Tamil Nadu	1x500
Projects accorded sanction (Pre-Project activities in progress)		
KKNPP 5&6	Kudankulam, Tamilnadu	2X1000
Chutka - 1&2	Chutka, Madhya Pradesh	2 X 700
Kaiga - 5&6	Kaiga, Karnataka	2 X 700
Mahi Banswara - 1&2	Mahi Banswara, Rajasthan	2 X 700
GHAVP- 3&4	Gorakhpur, Haryana	2 X 700
Mahi Banswara - 3&4	Mahi Banswara, Rajasthan	2 X 700
