

NOC for Tubewell Connections

***280.ShriDevender SinghBabli, M.L.A.:**Will the Power Minister be pleased to state-

- (a) whether it is a fact that in the last scheme the NOC for tubewell connections were given to more than 140 farmers without completing the process with the involvement of the officers of the department; and
- (b) if so, the action taken by the Government against the officers responsible for the same?

RANJIT SINGH, POWER MINISTER, HARYANA.

Sir, no NOC / permission for release of tubewell connection for agriculture purpose is required / issued / accepted by the Power Department.

However, as per the guidelines of Central Ground Water Authority the permission for the purpose of drinking water in Notified areas i.e dark zone is granted by the Deputy Commissioner of the district.