

No. 20/02/2023-Coord.  
Government of India  
Ministry of Power.  
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Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg,  
New Delhi, the 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2024

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Sub: Monthly Summary for the Cabinet concerning Ministry of Power**

The undersigned is directed to enclose herewith a copy of the monthly summary of important developments of the Ministry of Power for the month of February, 2024.

2. This issue with the approval of the competent authority.

**Encl: As above.**



19/3/2024

(Tulsi Dass)  
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

To

All Members of Council of Ministers.

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Director, Cabinet Secretariat, Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi.

## Summary report for council of ministers on important developments in Power sector during the month of February, 2024

Important issues/developments in respect of Ministry of Power for the Month of February, 2024 are reported as under:

### Generation Performance during the month of February, 2024:

- I. The **total electricity generation** in the country during the month of February, 2024 was 1,35,179 MUs as against the generation of 1,27,122 MUs during the corresponding period last year, showing a growth of 6.34%.
- II. The actual electricity generation from **Fossil Fuel Power Plants** (Thermal) during February, 2024 was 1,08,953 MUs as against the generation of 99,368 MUs during the corresponding period last year, showing a growth of 9.65%.
- III. Due to shortfall in monsoon rains, the country level reservoir storage in February, 2024 was lower as compared to February, 2023. As a result, overall hydro generation in February, 2024 was 29.00% less as compared to February, 2023.
- IV. The Coal receipt/consumption and Coal Stock position for Thermal Power Plants in February, 2024 versus February, 2023 is:-

	<b>February, 2024</b> <b>(in MT)</b>	<b>February, 2023</b> <b>(in MT)</b>
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D. Closing Stock (as on 29 <sup>th</sup> February, 2024)	44.6	33.7

- V. In FY 2023-24 (till 29.02.2024), total biomass co-fired in TPPs across the NCR is 200239 Metric Tonnes which is ~14.5 times the Biomass co-fired in FY 2022-23 (13801 Metric Tonnes). Presently, average biomass co-fired in NCR TPPs (in February, 2024) is 1577 tonnes/day which is ~ 33.5% of the biomass co-fired target.
- VI. The Generation Capacity Addition, Fossil fuel and Hydro (till February, 2024) in FY 2023-24 is 5464 MW against the target of 12060 MW.
- VII. In the month of February, 2024, against a target of 1536 Ckm, stringing of 706 Ckm transmission lines were completed and against the target of 5900 MVA, Transformation Capacity of 14585 MVA has been completed. The shortfall in

achieving the target of transmission lines was due to non-commissioning of two transmission lines (857 ckm) due to ROW issues.

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4. Particulars of cases in which there has been a departure from the Transaction of Business Rules or established policy of the Government: NIL

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6. Status of Rationalization of Autonomous Bodies: NIL

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8. Vacancy position of Board level appointments in the Ministry/Department, including Autonomous Bodies/PSUs as on date

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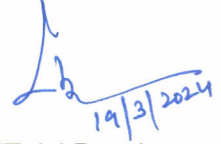
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