

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2808
TO BE ANSWERED ON 14.03.2013

Turnover and Profit of BHEL

2808 SHRI S.S. RAMASUBBU:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the turnover and profits of Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) has steadily increased over the years;
- (b) if so, the details thereof for the last three years and the current year;
- (c) whether the BHEL has attained Maharatna Status;
- (d) if so, the details thereof
- (e) whether any steps have been taken by the Government to further improve its operations and profits; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
(SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

(a) & (b): Yes Madam. Details are as under:

	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13 (Unaudited/ Provisional Upto 3 rd Quarter)
Turnover (Rs. Cr.)	34,154	43,337	49,510	30,290
Profit After Tax (PAT) (Rs. Cr.)	4,311	6,011	7,040	3,377

(c) & (d): Yes Madam, Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) has been granted Maharatna status vide Department of Public Enterprises (DPE) Office Memorandum No. 22(1)/2009-GM dated 1st February, 2013.

(e) & (f): Yes Madam. A number of steps have been taken by BHEL for enhancing its performance which, inter-alia, include:

1. Introduction of upgraded modules – 270 MW, 525 MW and 600 MW thermal units and also the super-critical thermal sets of 660 MW, 700 MW and 800 MW ratings suiting the local conditions.
2. Scaled up the capacity to deliver 20,000 MW of power equipment (main plant & machinery) per annum.
3. Increased R&D focus : The Company spent nearly Rs. 1,199 Crore i.e. 2.42% of Turnover during 2011-12 on R&D and filed 351 patents/ copyrights making BHEL one of the highest patent filers in the Country after CSIR.
4. Placing high importance on people development.
5. Pursuing initiatives in diversification, mergers & acquisitions (M&A).
