

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO : 777**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.03.2011

**DEVELOPING OF PROTOTYPE FAST BREEDER REACTOR**

777. SHRI ANIL MADHAV DAVE.

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether our country is developing the prototype fast breeder reactor;
- (b) by when it is expected to be commissioned;
- (c) the status of the project;
- (d) the number of countries that have nuclear reactors using same technology;  
and
- (e) the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS, PERSONNEL,  
PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND PMO (SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY)

- (a) Yes, Sir.
- (b) The plant is expected to be commissioned during 2012-13
- (c) The project has achieved physical progress of 66%.
- (d) & (e) Russia, Japan and France have commercial nuclear reactors using similar technology.

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