DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY

DEMAND NO. 4

Atomic Energy

A. The Budget allocations, net of recoveries and receipts, are given below:

(In crores of Rupees)

		Major	Act	ual 2012-201	3	Budget 2013-2014			Revised 2013-2014			Budget 2014-2015		
		Head	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total
		Revenue	749.52	3115.35	3864.87	1890.06	2552.89	4442.95	1407.00	2725.36	4132.36	1483.00	2971.25	4454.25
		Capital	1790.23	662.19	2452.42	3273.80	732.89	4006.69	2093.00	743.64	2836.64	3427.00	855.75	4282.75
		Total	2539.75	3777.54	6317.29	5163.86	3285.78	8449.64	3500.00	3469.00	6969.00	4910.00	3827.00	8737.00
1.	Secretariat-Economic Services	3451	•••	35.30	35.30		41.00	41.00		46.45	46.45		50.53	50.53
2.		3401	1.52	35.73	37.25	2.50	41.00	43.50	1.00	41.98	42.98	2.00	46.53	48.53
	The second control of	5401	0.51		0.51	7.26		7.26	2.00		2.00	30.00		30.00
		Total	2.03	35.73	37.76	9.76	41.00	50.76	3.00	41.98	44.98	32.00	46.53	78.53
Atomic	Energy Research and Industries													
3.	Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, Mumbai (BARC)	2852		533.45	533.45		517.77	517.77		401.88	401.88		421.76	421.76
	mambal (B) (I(e)	3401		980.23	980.23		1000.96	1000.96		1034.06	1034.06		1109.63	1109.63
		4861	488.93	15.94	504.87	610.00	42.03	652.03	200.00	42.12	242.12	300.00	39.00	339.00
		5401	651.46	18.26	669.72	900.00	17.04	917.04	900.00	17.04	917.04	1000.00	27.00	1027.00
		Total	1140.39	1547.88	2688.27	1510.00	1577.80	3087.80	1100.00	1495.10	2595.10	1300.00	1597.39	2897.39
4.	Indira Gandhi Centre for Atomic Research, Kalpakkam (IGCAR)	3401		265.74	265.74		274.81	274.81		283.39	283.39		306.02	306.02
	,	4861	55.18		55.18	341.00		341.00	50.00		50.00	555.00		555.00
		5401	110.86	1.00	111.86	260.00	1.00	261.00	167.00	1.01	168.01	260.00	1.00	261.00
		Total	166.04	266.74	432.78	601.00	275.81	876.81	217.00	284.40	501.40	815.00	307.02	1122.02
5.	Nuclear Recycle Board	2852								203.47	203.47		170.98	170.98
		4861							110.00	2.45	112.45	200.00	45.00	245.00
		Total							110.00	205.92	315.92	200.00	215.98	415.98
6.		3401								0.20	0.20		10.00	10.00
7.	Raja Ramanna Centre for Advanced Technology, Indore (RRCAT)	3401		144.14	144.14		147.69	147.69		149.93	149.93		163.98	163.98
		5401	121.86	0.38	122.24	150.00	2.31	152.31	140.00	3.66	143.66	150.00	1.26	151.26
		Total	121.86	144.52	266.38	150.00	150.00	300.00	140.00	153.59	293.59	150.00	165.24	315.24
8.	Variable Energy Cyclotron Centre, Kolkata (VECC)	3401		68.52	68.52		71.49	71.49		73.69	73.69		76.02	76.02
		5401	64.91	3.02	67.93	150.47	3.51	153.98	65.00	5.10	70.10	110.00	7.10	117.10
		Total	64.91	71.54	136.45	150.47	75.00	225.47	65.00	78.79	143.79	110.00	83.12	193.12

			Act	ual 2012-201	3	Bud	get 2013-201	4	Rev	ised 2013-20	14		(In crores of	•
		Major Head	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total
9.	Directorate of Purchase and Stores,	3401		43.88	43.88		50.00	50.00		47.00	47.00		51.45	51.45
	Mumbai General Services Organisation, Kalpakkam	3401		68.08	68.08		77.00	77.00		77.21	77.21		83.66	83.66
11.	Autonomous Bodies 11.01 Tata Institute of Fundamental	3401	142.09	229.72	371.81	414.00	241.75	655.75	250.00	249.82	499.82	285.00	265.91	550.91
	Research, Mumbai 11.02 Tata Memorial Centre,	3401	28.60	182.91	211.51	271.78	204.26	476.04	150.00	200.93	350.93	315.00	210.00	525.00
	Mumbai													
	11.03 Saha Institue of Nuclear Physics, Kolkata	3401	32.50	61.12	93.62	87.00	66.37	153.37	30.00	66.80	96.80	35.00	70.28	105.28
	11.04 Institute of Physics, Bhubaneswar	3401	0.39	17.97	18.36	12.50	20.61	33.11	8.00	17.08	25.08	10.00	24.68	34.68
	11.05 National Institute of Science, Education and Research (NISER)	3401	220.00		220.00	220.00		220.00	210.00		210.00	50.00	45.45	95.45
	11.06 Harish-Chandra Research Institute, Allahabad	3401	4.64	17.69	22.33	27.12	17.84	44.96	10.00	18.92	28.92	15.00	21.86	36.86
	11.07 Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Chennai	3401	1.55	28.93	30.48	19.40	30.19	49.59	11.00	32.10	43.10	18.00	35.33	53.33
	11.08 Institute for Plasma Research, Gandhinagar	3401	165.23	58.99	224.22	610.00	61.80	671.80	550.00	62.16	612.16	550.00	69.23	619.23
	11.09 Atomic Energy Education Society, Mumbai	3401	0.45	44.22	44.67	10.00	43.40	53.40	2.00	43.73	45.73	8.00	46.92	54.92
	Total- Autonomous Bodies		595.45	641.55	1237.00	1671.80	686.22	2358.02	1221.00	691.54	1912.54	1286.00	789.66	2075.66
12.	Assistance to Universities, etc.	3401	137.55		137.55	175.76		175.76	165.00		165.00	165.00		165.00
13. 14.	(Grants to Other Institutions) Directorate of Construction, Services and Estate Management (DCS&EM), Mumbai Housing Projects	3401		82.59	82.59		90.28	90.28		92.55	92.55		102.10	102.10
	14.01 Projects under DCS&EM	5401	104.88		104.88	150.00		150.00	100.00		100.00	130.00		130.00
	14.02 Other Housing Projects	5401	3.39	•••	3.39	66.65		66.65	10.00	•••	10.00	47.00	•••	47.00
	Total- Housing Projects		108.27		108.27	216.65		216.65	110.00		110.00	177.00		177.00
15.	Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research, Hyderabad (AMDER)	3401		166.08	166.08		172.30	172.30		177.13	177.13		191.14	191.14
	Tyddiabad (Timberty	4861	25.67		25.67	34.00		34.00	39.00		39.00	35.00		35.00
		5401	39.53	0.55	40.08	66.52	0.70	67.22	45.00	1.00	46.00	50.00	1.20	51.20
		Total	65.20	166.63	231.83	100.52	173.00	273.52	84.00	178.13	262.13	85.00	192.34	277.34
	ear Fuel													
16.	Nuclear Fuel Complex (NFC)													
	16.01 Fuel Fabrication Facilities	2050		1170 10	1170 10		1100.00	1100 00		1250.00	1250 00		1076 10	1076 10
	16.01.01 Fuel Fabrication Facilities - Gross 16.01.02 Less Receipts	2852 0852		1179.19 -1393.35	1179.19 -1393.35		1180.88 -2102.80	1180.88 -2102.80		1258.02 -2166.38	1258.02 -2166.38		1276.13 -2264.94	1276.13 -2264.94
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		M	1ajor	Actual 2012-2013			Bud	get 2013-201	4	Revi	sed 2013-20	14	Bud	get 2014-201	5
			lead	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total
			Net		-214.16	-214.16		-921.92	-921.92		-908.36	-908.36		-988.81	-988.81
	16.02 Common Facil	ities	2852		120.92	120.92		129.18	129.18		137.01	137.01		148.00	148.00
	16.03 Stainless Stee	Tubes Plant	2852		23.36	23.36		26.80	26.80		28.95	28.95		80.04	80.04
	16.04 Capital Outlay	on NFC	4861	33.33		33.33	74.00		74.00	35.00		35.00	62.00		62.00
	Total- Nuclear Fuel Cor	nplex (NFC)		33.33	-69.88	-36.55	74.00	-765.94	-691.94	35.00	-742.40	-707.40	62.00	-760.77	-698.77
Heav	y Water														
17.	Heavy Water Board														
	17.01 Maintenance of Colonies for Hoper Plants		2852		8.09	8.09		8.95	8.95		9.16	9.16		10.16	10.16
	17.02 Central Office Water Plants)	`	4861	33.29	22.54	55.83	105.00	24.81	129.81	80.00	24.84	104.84	87.00	27.58	114.58
	Total- Heavy Water Boa			33.29	30.63	63.92	105.00	33.76	138.76	80.00	34.00	114.00	87.00	37.74	124.74
18.	Heavy Water Production	n													
	18.01 Heavy Water F	Plant, Baroda	4861		28.59	28.59		32.20	32.20		31.61	31.61		33.78	33.78
	18.02 Heavy Water F	lant, Kota	4861		120.98	120.98		129.59	129.59		107.34	107.34		155.39	155.39
	18.03 Heavy Water F	Plant, Tuticorin	4861		18.02	18.02		19.88	19.88		19.87	19.87		21.61	21.61
	18.04 Heavy Water F	lant, Talcher	4861		7.97	7.97		8.75	8.75		9.08	9.08		9.80	9.80
	18.05 Heavy Water F	Plant, Thal	4861		144.15	144.15		122.15	122.15		121.37	121.37		130.91	130.91
	18.06 Heavy Water F	Plant, Hazira	4861		120.93	120.93		123.75	123.75		139.56	139.56		143.06	143.06
	18.07 Heavy Water F Manuguru		4861		257.85	257.85		269.97	269.97		308.68	308.68		308.53	308.53
	18.08 Less-Loss of F	leavy Water	4861		-98.13	-98.13		-65.00	-65.00		-91.34	-91.34		-96.67	-96.67
			Net		600.36	600.36		641.29	641.29		646.17	646.17		706.41	706.41
	-Heavy Water			33.29	630.99	664.28	105.00	675.05	780.05	80.00	680.17	760.17	87.00	744.15	831.15
19.	Feedstock														
	19.01 Gross		4861		865.56	865.56		996.00	996.00		1035.00	1035.00		1110.00	1110.00
	19.02 Less - Heavy V Production	Vater	4861 <i>Net</i>		-865.56	-865.56		-996.00	-996.00		-1035.00	-1035.00		-1110.00	-1110.00
20.	Board for Radiation and	lactone	2852		 61.65	61.65		62.80	62.80		 54.95	 54.05		 69.80	 69.80
20.	Technology (BRIT)	isotope	2002		61.65	61.65		02.00	02.00		54.95	54.95		69.60	09.00
	 · · · /		4861	9.28	0.14	9.42	65.00	0.20	65.20	9.00	0.25	9.25	50.00	0.20	50.20
			Total	9.28	61.79	71.07	65.00	63.00	128.00	9.00	55.20	64.20	50.00	70.00	120.00
21.	Other Programmes														
	21.01 Management S	Services Group	2852		0.37	0.37		0.89	0.89		0.54	0.54		0.61	0.61
	21.02 O&M of Thoriu Trombay	•	2852	•••	1.50	1.50				•••	•••				•••
	21.03 International A Agency	tomic Energy	3401		19.24	19.24		24.00	24.00		24.00	24.00		24.00	24.00

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		Major Actual 2012-2013			Bud	get 2013-201	14	Rev	ised 2013-20 ⁻	14	Budget 2014-2015			
		Head	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total
	Total- Other Programmes			21.11	21.11		24.89	24.89		24.54	24.54		24.61	24.61
22.	DAE Projects													
	22.01 R&D Projects	3401		2.25	2.25		7.00	7.00		15.00	15.00		11.44	11.44
		5401	47.15		47.15	137.90		137.90	110.00		110.00	200.00		200.00
		Total	47.15	2.25	49.40	137.90	7.00	144.90	110.00	15.00	125.00	200.00	11.44	211.44
	22.02 I&M Projects	2852	15.00	26.84	41.84	40.00	44.67	84.67	20.00	43.63	63.63	30.00	42.55	72.55
		4861				11.00		11.00	1.00		1.00	11.00		11.00
		Total	15.00	26.84	41.84	51.00	44.67	95.67	21.00	43.63	64.63	41.00	42.55	83.55
	Total- DAE Projects		62.15	29.09	91.24	188.90	51.67	240.57	131.00	58.63	189.63	241.00	53.99	294.99
23.	Investment in Public Enterprises -	4861				145.00		145.00	30.00		30.00	150.00		150.00
Total-A	Uranium Corporation of India Limited tomic Energy Research and Industries		2537.72	3706.51	6244.23	5154.10	3203.78	8357.88	3497.00	3380.57	6877.57	4878.00	3729.94	8607.94
Grand			2539.75	3777.54	6317.29	5163.86	3285.78	8449.64	3500.00	3469.00	6969.00	4910.00	3827.00	8737.00
		Head of	Budget	IEBR	Total	Budget	IEBR	Total	Budget	IEBR	Total	Budget	IEBR	Total
	-	Dev	Support			Support		. 010	Support			Support		
B. Inve	estment in Public Enterprises													
2	21.01 Electonics Corporation of	12859		22.94	22.94		36.50	36.50		36.50	36.50		27.50	27.50
	India Limited '													
	21.02 Uranium Corporation of India Limited	12861		14.47	14.47	145.00	267.00	412.00	30.00	105.00	135.00	150.00	191.00	341.00
	21.03 Indian Rare Earths Limited	12861		62.82	62.82		100.30	100.30		64.88	64.88		65.70	65.70
Total				100.23	100.23	145.00	403.80	548.80	30.00	206.38	236.38	150.00	284.20	434.20
C. Plai	n Outlay													
1.	Telecommunication and Electronic Industries	12859		22.94	22.94		36.50	36.50		36.50	36.50		27.50	27.50
2.	Atomic Energy Industries	12861	660.68	77.29	737.97	1425.00	367.30	1792.30	574.00	169.88	743.88	1480.00	256.70	1736.70
3.	Atomic Energy Research	13401	1879.07		1879.07	3738.86		3738.86	2926.00		2926.00	3430.00		3430.00
Total	<u>.</u>		2539.75	100.23	2639.98	5163.86	403.80	5567.66	3500.00	206.38	3706.38	4910.00	284.20	5194.20
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- 1. **SECRETARIAT-ECONOMIC SERVICES:** DAE Secretariat is the apex body administering the constituent units, PSUs and aided institutions spread all over the country carrying out the various activities of the Department. There are six R&D Units, including Global Centre for Nuclear Energy Partnership (GCNEP) Haryana, three industrial units, three service organizations and five PSUs apart from nine aided institutions in the Department of Atomic Energy. DAE also has a Branch Secretariat in New Delhi.
- 2. **ATOMIC ENERGY REGULATORY BOARD:** Atomic Energy Regulatory Board (AERB) enforces radiological safety stipulations. It is assisted by Safety Review Committee for

Operating Plants (SARCOP), Safety Review Committee (SRC) for applications for radiation and other committees in carrying out its mandate in prescribing radiological, nuclear and industrial safety regulations.

3. **BHABHA ATOMIC RESEARCH CENTRE:** Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC), a multidisciplinary organisation, pursues comprehensive Research and Development (R&D) programmes for harnessing nuclear energy and also its utility for the benefit of the society. These R&D efforts are concentrated in the fields of nuclear sciences, engineering & technology, basic sciences and allied fields and geared up for exploitation of atomic energy for power generation and application of

radiation technology in the areas of agriculture, health care and industry. BARC gives R&D support to all other units of DAE and provide necessary support for national security. Nuclear Recycle Board (NRB) has been created as a separate accounting units to meet the operational requirements of the Fuel Reprocessing plants at Tarapur and Kalpakkam with its Head Quarters at Mumbai.

- 4. **INDIRA GANDHI CENTRE FOR ATOMIC RESEARCH:** Indira Gandhi Centre for Atomic Research (IGCAR) is engaged in design and development of liquid sodium cooled fast breeder reactors in the country, as a part of the Nuclear Power Programme Stage 2, backed by fuel fabrication and reprocessing. Fast Breeder Test Reactor (FBTR), a prelude to the FBR programme, has been in operation with indigenously developed Uranium-Plutonium carbide fuel. The Centre has R&D activities, encompassing hydraulic studies and reactor engineering studies of reactor components, sodium instrumentation, material development and characterization. The centre has undertaken various strategically important projects to develop mature fast breeder fuel cycle technologies with international standards.
- 5. **NUCLEAR RECYCLE BOARD (NRB):** NRB was a part of Bhabha Atomic Research Centre and has been created to carry out activities relating to Nuclear Fuel reprocessing.
- 6. **SAFETY AUTHORITY STRATEGIC ACTIVITIES:** The provision is for strategic nature of activities.
- 7. RAJA RAMANNA CENTRE FOR ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY: Raja Ramanna Centre for Advanced Technology (RRCAT), Indore, is engaged in development of technology and applications of particle accelerators and lasers, besides carrying out substantial activities in cryogenics and materials research.
- 8. VARIABLE ENERGY CYCLOTRON CENTRE: The Variable Energy Cyclotron Centre (VECC) at Kolkata is operating the nation's largest and the first indigenously built Cyclotron and has been delivered first time in India energetic Neon 20 and Argon 40 beams. A series of experimental run were accomplished for a national facility Indian Gamma Ray Array (INGA) by a large nuclear physics community. Radio-active Ion Beam Project (RIB phase II) started experiment with 187 kevu after installation of LINAC I.
- 9. **DIRECTORATE OF PURCHASE & STORES:** The objective of Directorate of Purchase & Stores is to ensure availability of quality material at right time, at right place and right price. The materials required by the R&D Units of the Department are of developmental in nature. Hence DPS is also entrusted with the work of locating the right sources for manufacturing of complicated precision equipment required for Atomic Energy Programme.
- 10. **GENERAL SERVICES ORGANISATION:** General Services Organisation (GSO), Kalpakkam is one of the service organisations providing services such as residential accommodation, health services under CHSS, transport services, educational facilities and is also responsible for the maintenance of public buildings, roads within the colony, maintenance of water supply, etc.
- 11.01. **TATA INSTITUTE OF FUNDAMENTAL RESEARCH:** Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR) is primarily an Institute for basic research, but in this process, it also develops new technologies and creates a pool of scientific and technical manpower. The research activities of the Institute are organized under three Schools: (1) School of Mathematics (2) School of Natural Sciences and (3) School of Technology and Computer Science.

- 11.02. **TATA MEMORIAL CENTRE:** Tata Memorial Centre (TMC) comprises Tata Memorial Hospital (TMH) and Advanced Centre for Treatment, Research and Education in Cancer (ACTREC). Tata Memorial Hospital was established in 1941 for the treatment and cure of cancer and allied diseases. TMC has the responsibility to set standards of therapy for treatment modalities and a centre to train doctors, scientists and para-medical staff in the field. The Advanced Centre for Treatment, Research and Education in Cancer (ACTREC) conducts basic, community-based and clinically oriented research on multiple facets of cancer, focusing on cancers of oral cavity, cervix, leukemia and lymphomas and tobacco related cancers.
- 11.03. **SAHA INSTITUTE OF NUCLEAR PHYSICS:** Saha Institute of Nuclear Physics (SINP) has a two-fold objective to carry out basic research in various areas of physical and biophysical sciences and to impart manpower training in these fields. It has the oldest NMR Lab, a working Tokamak, a most sophisticated unit for surface studies and two strong groups for studies in theoretical physics and statistical mechanics. It has offered the world a very important chip (MANAS) to help detect dimuons at CERN.
- 11.04-05. **INSTITUTE OF PHYSICS/NISER:** The Institute of Physics (IOP), Bhubaneswar promotes fundamental research in the frontier areas of Physics. Research is carried out in theoretical as well as experimental areas, viz. Condensed Matter Physics, High Energy Physics, Nuclear Physics, and accelerator based sciences. The education programme at NISER is to emphasise experimental approach and hands-on practice. The programme is to concentrate on the four main areas; Biological Sciences, Chemical Sciences, Mathematical Sciences and Physical Sciences with an emphasis on Interdisciplinary studies through an integrated approach.
- 11.06. **HARISH-CHANDRA RESEARCH INSTITUTE:** The Institute was established in the year 1975, which is now part of the Department of Atomic Energy.
- 11.07. **INSTITUTE OF MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES:** The Institute of Mathematical Sciences (IMSc), which had its inception in 1962, is a National Institute of Higher Learning with primary objective to foster high quality fundamental research in frontier disciplines of the Mathematical Sciences.
- 11.08. **INSTITUTE FOR PLASMA RESEARCH:** The institute has a broad charter of objectives to carry out experimental and theoretical research in plasma science with emphasis on the physics of magnetically confined plasmas and certain aspects of non linear phenomena. The Institute also has a mandate to stimulate plasma research and development activities in the Universities and the Industrial sector. It is also expected to contribute in the training of plasma physicists and technologists in the country.
- 11.09. **ATOMIC ENERGY EDUCATION SOCIETY:** Atomic Energy Education Society (AEES) runs 30 schools and junior colleges at 17 different Centers with more than 28000 students on its rolls. Society also assists three special schools run by Charitable Organizations for the handicapped children of DAE employees at Kalpakkam, Mumbai and Indore.
- 12. **ASSISTANCE TO UNIVERSITIES, ETC.:** Extra-mural funding from DAE to universities/institutions/ national laboratories is channeled through the Board of Research in Nuclear Sciences (BRNS). National Board for Higher Mathematics (NBHM) has initiated several schemes like helping the development of mathematical centres, giving scholarships to research fellows, travel

assistance to young mathematicians for attending conferences/seminars, support to libraries, etc. Funds cancer hospitals also. DAE also initiates Neighbourhood Welfare Programme.

- 13. **DIRECTORATE OF CONSTRUCTION, SERVICES & ESTATE MANAGEMENT:** Directorate of Construction, Services & Estate Management (DCSEM) looks after the construction activities of the Department including housing for its employees. This Directorate is also responsible for operation, maintenance and up-gradation of residential flats, shops, public buildings and estate management including allotment and the security for the DAE Estate in Mumbai. In addition, Directorate executes construction works for constituent units.
- 15. ATOMIC MINERALS DIRECTORATE FOR EXPLORATION & RESEARCH: Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration & Research (AMD) carries out survey, prospecting and exploration of atomic minerals required for the nuclear power programme of the country. The activities include assessment, analysis, evaluation, characterisation and categorisation of atomic minerals, design and fabrication of radiometric instruments and development of ore extraction flow sheets.
- 16. **NUCLEAR FUEL COMPLEX:** Nuclear Fuel Complex (NFC) is responsible for manufacturing zirconium alloy clad, natural and enriched uranium oxide fuel assemblies for all the Pressurised Heavy Water Reactors (PHWRs) and the Boiling Water Reactors (BWRs) zirconium alloy structural components for these reactors including Calandria and Pressure Tubes for PHWRs and Square Channels for BWRs. In addition, NFC produces Seamless Stainless Steel and Special Alloy Tubes of international standards for Nuclear and Non-Nuclear applications and Special and High Purity Materials for strategic use.
- 17. **HEAVY WATER BOARD:** HWB operates two Heavy Water Plants (HWPs) located at Kota and Manuguru based on Hydrogen Sulphide-Water Exchange Process and two plants at Thal and Hazira based on Ammonia-Hydrogen Exchange Process. Energy consumption being the major cost component of Heavy Water (HW) production, its continual reduction is a thrust area of HWB. By adopting process intensification and optimization techniques and implementing appropriate energy saving schemes, substantial reduction in specific energy has been achieved, which is exemplified during 2012-13 by achieving lowest ever specific energy consumption.
- BOARD OF RADIATION AND ISOTOPE TECHNOLOGY: Board of Radiation and Isotope Technology (BRIT) is responsible for :- Production and supply of a variety of radioisotope products including radiopharmaceutical and associated products, radio immunoassay kits, radiochemicals, radiolabeled compounds and nucleotides and also sealed radiation sources such as Cobalt-60, Iridium-192, Caesium-137 etc. Radiation technology equipment such as gamma radiography cameras, blood irradiators and laboratory gamma irradiators, promoting radiation processing technology for use in healthcare, food processing and agriculture and rendering radiation processing services for medical products, spices, condiments and other products, propagating radiation technology and providing facilitation services to private entrepreneurs to set up commercial gamma radiation processing plants.
- 21. **OTHER PROGRAMMES:** Management Services Group (MSG) provides information services and computer systems support at the DAE Sectt. The group has set up a Local Area Network which functions on round the clock basis. MSG manages the DAE Internet web server which functions as the global web information portal for the Indian Atomic Energy Programme.

- India has been a member of the Board of Governors of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) since its inception, making available the services of the departmental scientists for expert assignments besides participation in international symposia and other fellowship exchange programmes. The provision under IAEA takes care of the contribution made by the Department to the international body.
- 22. **DAE PROJECTS:** The Department undertakes a few projects which are jointly executed by the constituent units in different sectors or by Public Sector Units on behalf of the Department.
- 23. **INVESTMENT IN PUBLIC ENTERPRISES- URANIUM CORPORATION OF INDIA LTD.:** Uranium Corporation of India Limited (UCIL), was incorporated in 1967. The objectives of the company is to mine and refine uranium ore, produce concentrate and recover by-products at the most economic cost and market them efficiently. It is also engaged in achieving cost effectiveness through better capacity utilization, quality improvement and optimum utilization of human resources.