

**DR. JITENDRA SINGH, HON'BLE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) GOVT.
OF INDIA VISITS DULHASTI POWER STATION**

Dr. Jitendra Singh, Hon'ble MoS (Independent Charge), DoNER, MoS Prime Minister's Office, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Department of Atomic Energy and Department of Space, Govt. of India accompanied by Shri Sunil Kumar Sharma, Minister of Power Development, Govt. of Jammu and Kashmir visited Dulhasti Power Station on 28th April, 2018. On his arrival he was given warm welcome at Helipad and Dul Dam Site. Shri MS Babu, MD, CVPPP and Shri Yoginder Kotha Head of the Power Station presented bouquets to Dr. Jitendra Singh, MoS (Independent Charge) and Sh. Sunil Kumar Sharma, MoS J&K Govt. Thereafter, the Chief Guest, Dr Jitendra Singh was given Guard of Honor at Dul Dam by a Contingent of CISF Unit DPS.

During visit to the site, Shri Yoginder Kotha, HOP presented the Power Station Presentation and apprised the Hon'ble MoS (Independent Charge) Dr. Jitendra Singh about the technical & other activities of the Power Station including its Operation & Maintenance. In the course of discussions, Shri Kotha explained the significance of Hydro Power in the development of the country. Also, he emphasized on the need of carrying out the construction work of Dulhasti Stage-II through central sector by NHPC on the basis of expertise and readily availability of competent & skilled human resource and basic infrastructures etc. The MoS was apprised that the Intake structure of Stage-II which was constructed by NHPC is already with Dulhasti Power Station and presently being looked after and controlled by Dulhasti PS. The discussions were held in the presence of local MLA and MoS (Independent Charge) Govt. of J&K, Sh. Sunil Kumar Sharma and Shri MS Babu, Managing Director, CVPPP. The detailed discussions and bottlenecks in respect of the Power Projects of CVPPP including start of Pakal Dul HEP by Joint Venture were also discussed by Shri MS Babu, MD.

Hon'ble MoS Dr. Jitendra Singh expressed his satisfaction over the visit and agreed to take up the matter with Ministry of Power and other stakeholders. He appreciated the working of officers and staff of NHPC and CVPPP & their contribution towards building the nation.











