

### **3. Pump Storage Plants (PSPs):**

#### **Development of PSPs in the state of:**

##### **Maharashtra:**

- Site visits and preliminary surveys were conducted for 5 indicated Pumped Storage Projects (PSPs) in Maharashtra.
- PFRs for 6 projects (including 1 self-identified project) have been prepared. In addition to above, DPR for MalshejGhat PSP (700 MW) has already been prepared by THDCIL in 2010 and submitted to Maharashtra Government.
- During the recent meeting in Aug'23 with THDCIL officials, Additional ChiefSecretary, WRD indicated that the state's policy for the development of PSPs is in the final stages of approval by the GoMH. Once the policy is approved, PSPs will be prioritized for allocation. Issuance of Maharashtra State's Policy for development of PSPs is awaited.

##### **Kerala:**

- Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signed with Kerala State Electricity Board Ltd. (KSEBL) on 14.01.23 for preparation of PFR.
- PFRs for Idukki PSP (700 MW) and Pallivasal PSP (600 MW) submitted to KSEBL which is under review. All efforts are being made for early approval and signing of the implementation agreement.

##### **Tamil Nadu:**

- Nallar PSP in Tamil Nadu, State- Government informed that project shall be allocated through TBCB Mode. Therefore, PFR works for Nallar PSP is presently at standstill.

#### **Budget Estimate v/s Expenditure of Bokang Bailing and TUSCO Ltd. during FY 2023-24:**

Expenditure done during the month of Sep'23 on Bokang Bailing and TUSCO Ltd. is ₹2.63cr (including expenditure of ₹2.37cr of TUSCO Ltd) against the BE of ₹11.69 cr. Cumulative expenditure upto Sep'23 in F.Y. 2023-24 is ₹15.83cr (including ₹ 13.71cr of TUSCO Ltd) against the BE of ₹67.67cr.

