# Power Sector Reforms and Governance in India

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# Growth Impediments

- Bottlenecks in Physical Infrastructure
  - Power
  - Ports
  - Roads
  - Railways
- Human Resources
  - Lack of access to Primary Education
  - Non-Existent Primary Health Care System
- Rampant Corruption
- No Sanctity to Rule of Law
- Ballooning Fiscal Crisis
- Archaic Labor Laws

### Power Sector Reform

#### IPP's

- Tariff
- Transparency
- Speed

#### T & D Losses

- Money
- Technology
- Political Will

#### Corruption and Theft

- Institutional Mechanisms
- Speedy Justice
- Campaign Finance Reform
- Separation of Powers

## Power Sector Reform

#### Agricultural Sector

- Metered Connections
- Efficiency of Use
- Packaging Reform
- Confidence in the System
- Decentralized Governance
- Tax & Benefit
- Tariff & Service
- Authority and Accountability

#### Work Force

- Labor Laws
- Article 311
- Legal Hurdles

# Power to Agricultural Sector

#### Focus on Tariff

- Revenue increase marginal
- Water Wastage
- Low Efficiency
- No Savings in Power

#### Focus on Metering

- Incentive to save Power
- Water Savings
- Higher Efficiency
- High Revenues from Saved Power

## Governance Crisis

- Total Organised work force in the country
  - 27 million (8 % of the total Labor force)
  - 18 million in government alone
- Fiscal Deficit (union + States)
  - 12 % of GDP
- Total Tax Revenues
  - about 20 % of GDP
- Total Government Expenditure
  - About 32 % of GDP
- In Andhra Pradesh
  - **Out of 800,000 Government Employees** 
    - 2,75,000 clerks
    - 1,80,000 peons