GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OFPOWER RAJYA SABHA QUESTION NO07.03.2011 ANSWERED ON COAL IMPORTS BY NTPC.

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Will the Minister of COALPOWER be pleased to state :-

- (a) the amount of coal imported by the National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) during 2009-10 and 2010-11;
- (b) whether the coal is being imported through Central Public Sector Undertakings or private parties; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof indicating the service charges paid for the import by private parties?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER

(SHRI K.C. VENUGOPAL)

- (a) :NTPC has imported 6.30 million metric tonnes during 2009-10 and 9.64 million metric tonnes during 2010-11 (from 01.04.2010 to 25.2.2011).
- (b) :NTPC has imported coal through Central Public Sector Undertakings namely M/s State Trading Corporation and M/s Minerals and Mining Trading Corporation.
- (c):Does not arise in view of (b) above.