GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COAL

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.853 TO BE ANSWERED ON 22.12.2017

Posting of CIL officers in Delhi

853. SHRI SANJIV KUMAR:

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of officers of Coal India Ltd.(CIL) posted in its Delhi office as in 2014;
- (b) the total number of officers of CIL posted in its Delhi office currently;
- (c) the reasons for the huge spurt in posting of CIL officers in Delhi; and
- (d) whether it is a fact that most of the CIL officers are being attached to the Ministry without due authorization?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF COAL IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL AND RAILWAYS

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

- (a) A total number of 21 CIL officers were posted in its Delhi office in the year 2014.
- (b) Currently, 64 CIL officers are posted in its Delhi office.
- (c) The increase in number of executives in CIL Delhi office as compared to status of 2014 was principally to meet the requirements in newly created offices like Nominated Authority (formed in December, 2014) and Joint Ventures of CIL Hindustan Urvarak and Rasayan Ltd. (formed in July, 2016) and Talcher Fertilizers Ltd. (formed in May, 2016).

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Similarly, manpower was required to liaison with Railways for coal dispatch and also to coordinate with different consumers largely because of the fact that coal production by CIL is projected to increase 600 MT in 2017-18 from the level of 462.4 MT in 2013-14. Besides this, executives are posted for monitoring & liaisoning for approvals of new project proposals, MoU, clearances from MoEF, land clearances etc. Thus, the present strength of manpower posted in CIL Delhi office is essential to take care of all the abovementioned functions.

(d) No Sir.
