GOVERNMENT OF INIDA MINISTRY OF STEEL

RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *121 FOR ANSWER ON 13/03/2023

DOMESTIC DEMAND OF STEEL

*121 SHRI RAKESH SINHA

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) the total production of steel in the country;

(b) the amount of steel exported in 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23;

(c) the quantum of deficit between the domestic demands of steel and quantum of steel supplied by domestic producers;

(d) the amount of steel imported in the aforesaid years; and

(e) the countries which are exporting steel to India?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STEEL

(SHRI JYOTIRADITYA M. SCINDIA)

(a)to(e): A Statement is laid on the Table of the Rajya Sabha.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (A) TO (E) OF THE RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *121 FOR ANSWER ON 13/03/2023 TABLED BY SHRI RAKESH SINHA, MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING "DOMESTIC DEMAND OF STEEL"

(a)to(d): The details of production of Crude Steel, Finished Steel, along with import, export and consumption of Finished Steel during 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23 is given as follows:-

				(in million tonne)	
		2020-21	2021-22	2022-23 (Apr-Feb) *	
Crude Steel	Production	103.54	120.29	113.44	
Finished Steel	Consumption	94.89	105.75	107.2	
	Export	10.78	13.49	5.90	
	Import	4.75	4.67	5.59	
*Provisional, Source: Joint Plant Committee					

Deficit between domestic demand and supply is met by imports.

(e) List of countries exporting steel to India during the current FY 2022-23 are given below:-

Import of Finished Steel (in thousand tonne)				
Country	2022-23			
Country	(Apr-Feb)*			
Austria	7.7			
Bangladesh	5.0			
Belgium	30.0			
Canada	9.9			
China	1339.6			
Finland	6.4			
France	73.0			
Germany	98.9			
Indonesia	143.0			
Italy	27.9			
Japan	768.3			
Kazakhstan	6.2			
Korea	2036.5			
Malaysia	16.9			
Nepal	52.9			
Oman	7.0			
Poland	6.2			
Russia	309.6			
Singapore	6.0			
Spain	20.2			
Sweden	46.2			
Taiwan	158.2			
Thailand	51.5			
UAE	11.1			
Ukraine	6.0			
USA	14.8			
Vietnam	286.1			
Others	47.5			
Total	5592.2			
*Provisional, Source: Joint Plant Committee				