GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF STEEL

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1275 FOR ANSWER ON 13/02/2023

BIJU PATNAIK NATIONAL STEEL INSTITUTE IN BALIANTA TEHSIL

1275. DR. PRASHANTA NANDA:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) whether State Government of Odisha has allotted 25 acres of land in 2013 to construct permanent campus of Biju Patnaik National Steel Institute in Balianta Tehsil of Khordha District;
- (b) if so, the present status thereof;
- (c) the details of amount sanctioned and expenditure that has been made for construction of permanent campus; and
- (d) by when Government targets to complete this project?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL

(SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE)

(a)to(d): State Government of Odisha has allotted 25 acres of leasehold land in 2013 to Biju Patnaik National Steel Institute (BPNSI) at Jagannathpur Mouza, Balianta Tehsil of Khordha District. Government of India has shifted BPNSI from Puri to Kalinganagar on 01.03.2021 to a campus located in common facility centre at Jajpur. Board of Directors of the Institute, which is responsible to oversee the institution's mission, financial requirement etc., has been reconstituted on 29.9.2022.
