## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COAL

## RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 28# TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.12.2023

#### Target to produce one billion tonnes of coal.

### 28 # Shri Brij Lal:

Will the Minister of **Coal** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Coal India Limited has formulated any plan to produce one billion tonnes of coal by 2025-26; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

#### **ANSWER**

# MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS, COAL AND MINES (SHRI PRALHAD JOSHI)

(a) & (b): Yes Sir. Coal India Limited (CIL) has projected to enhance its coal production to 1 Billion Tonne (BT) by the year 2025-26. The year-wise production plan of CIL is as follows:

Company/Year	2021-22*	2022-23*	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
CIL (in MT)	623.0	703.0	780.0	850.0	1000.0

<sup>\*</sup>Actual Production

Under 1 BT Plan, CIL has already identified and initiated actions for fulfilling all the resources required like EC/FC, land, evacuation infrastructures such as mechanised loading through CHP/SILO, Rail Projects etc. for enabling projects to contribute to its target as per 1 BT production plan.

Since Apr'2020 to 15th Oct'23, CIL has secured EC for 101 proposals with additional capacity of about 144.23 MTY. Stage-II FC granted for 25 proposals with diversion of forest land of about 3997.95 Ha and Stage-I FC granted for 15 proposals involving forest land of 2498.2 Ha. CIL has taken possession of about 8893 Ha land. CIL has commissioned 9 FMC projects with capacity of 127 MTPA. CIL has also commissioned 5 rail projects to further boost the evacuation and transportation capacity of coal.

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