## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF POWER

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3794 TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.12.2016

## **TECHNOLOGY FOR USE OF DOMESTIC COAL IN POWER PLANTS**

†3794. DR. RAVINDRA KUMAR RAY: PROF. CHINTAMANI MALVIYA:

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the thermal power plants cannot use domestic coal with their present design and technology;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to modify the present design and technology of the power plants so that they can generate power by using domestic coal; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

## ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR POWER, COAL, NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND MINES

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

- (a): No, Madam. Most of the thermal Power Plants in India are designed to use domestic coal.
- (b) to (d): Do not arise.

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