

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COAL
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 720
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.07.2017**

Target for Production of Coal

**720. SHRIMATI KAMLA DEVI PAATLE:
SHRI HARINARAYAN RAJBHAR:**

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Coal India Limited (CIL) has failed to achieve the targets set for the production of coal during the Twelfth Five Year Plan;
- (b) if so, the targets set and achieved during the said period and the current year, year and company-wise;
- (c) the reasons for non-achievement of targets;
- (d) whether the Government has formulated any scheme for increasing the production of coal during the next Five Years; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a)&(b): Coal India Limited (CIL) has increased its production from 462.41 Mt in 2013-14 to 554.14 Mt in 2016-17. The increase of 91.73 Mt. in actual production achieved by CIL in the last three years took almost seven years to achieve before 2013-14.

The company-wise targets and achievement of Coal India Limited (CIL) during the Twelfth Five Year Plan is as under.

Com.	XII Five Year Plan										2017-18	
	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16		2016-17		Target Annual	Actual upto June 17
	Target	Actual	Target	Actual	Target	Actual	Target	Actual	Target	Actual (Prov)		
ECL	33.00	33.90	34.50	36.05	38.00	40.01	42.13	40.21	46.94	40.52	47.00	8.87
BCCL	31.00	31.21	32.50	32.61	34.00	34.51	35.85	35.86	37.00	37.04	40.50	6.84
CCL	55.00	48.06	53.50	50.02	55.00	55.65	60.60	61.32	67.00	67.05	72.00	10.18
NCL	70.00	70.02	72.20	68.64	77.00	72.48	78.10	80.22	82.00	84.10	89.00	21.2
WCL	45.00	42.29	44.00	39.73	44.00	41.15	45.10	44.82	48.00	45.63	48.50	8.13
SECL	117.00	118.22	124.30	124.26	131.00	128.28	137.00	137.93	149.67	140.00	153.00	31.72
MCL	112.00	107.90	120.00	110.44	127.00	121.38	150.00	137.90	167.00	139.21	149.30	31.85
NEC	1.10	0.61	1.00	0.66	1.00	0.78	1.22	0.49	1.00	0.60	0.70	0.07
CIL	464.10	452.20	482.00	462.41	507.00	494.23	550.00	538.75	598.61	554.14	600.00	118.84
% Ach.		97.4		95.9		97.5		98.0		92.6		-

::2::

(c) to (e): On account of enhanced production by CIL, the country has moved from a regime of coal scarcity to a coal surplus situation. The vendible stock of CIL has increased from 53.62 Mt. as on 01.04.2015 to 61.92 Mt. as on 01.04.2017. The off-take / dispatch of coal of CIL has also increased from 488.86 Mt in 2014-15 to 542.82 Mt. in 2016-17. The vendible stock of CIL even on 01.07.2017 was 49.90 Mt. Production is likely to further increase due to planned enhancement in productivity and deployment of Heavy Earth Moving Machineries. Increased domestic availability of coal has translated into reduction in imports, which has come down from a level of 217.78 Mt. in 2014-15 to 190.95 Mt. (P) in 2016-17. As the country does not produce sufficient quantity of coking coal, it continues to be imported. Further, coal is imported by import based thermal power plants set up in the country.

<<>>