

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF MINES  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2825**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.01.2018

**MINERAL PRODUCTION**

†2825. SHRI PASHUPATI NATH SINGH:

Will the Minister of MINES be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of the States carrying out mineral production in the country;
- (b) whether the Government has conducted any survey to ascertain the estimated value of mineral production for the ensuing year;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government is reconsidering the mineral production policies in the country; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINES (SHRI HARIBHAI PARTHIBHAI CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (e): As per information made available by Indian Bureau of Mines (a sub-ordinate office of the Ministry of Mines), name of the States reporting Minerals Production (excluding atomic, fuel & minor minerals) during the year 2016-17 is at Annexure.

No survey has been conducted to ascertain the estimated value of mineral production for the ensuing year. With the liberalization of mineral sector since 1993, which led to public private sector participation, mineral production depends broadly on-availability of mineral resources, economic viability, demand of market etc.

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## Annexure

### Annexure mentioned in reply to Lok Sabha unstarred question number 2825 for 04.01.2018 regarding 'mineral production' asked by Shri Pashupati Nath Singh

Name of the States reporting Minerals Production during the year 2016-17  
(Excluding Atomic, fuel & minor minerals)

Name of the States	Name of the Minerals
Andhra Pradesh	Apatite, Garnet, Gold, Iron Ore, Limestone, Manganese Ore, Vermiculite
Assam	Limestone
Bihar	Limestone
Chhattisgarh	Bauxite, Iron Ore, Limestone, Moulding Sand, Tin
Goa	Bauxite, Iron Ore, Manganese Ore
Gujarat	Bauxite, Fluorite, Limestone, Manganese Ore
Himachal Pradesh	Limestone
Jammu & Kashmir	Limestone
Jharkhand	Bauxite, Copper Ore, Flint Stone, Gold, Graphite, Iron Ore, Limestone, Manganese Ore
Karnataka	Bauxite, Chromite, Gold, Graphite, Iron Ore, Kyanite, Lime shell, Limestone, Magnesite, Manganese Ore
Kerala	Graphite, Limestone, Lime shell, Sillimanite
Madhya Pradesh	Bauxite, Copper Ore, Diamond, Iron Ore, Limestone, Manganese Ore, Phosphorite
Maharashtra	Bauxite, Chromite, Fluorite, Iron Ore, Kyanite, Limestone, Manganese Ore, Sillimanite
Meghalaya	Limestone
Odisha	Bauxite, Chromite, Graphite, Iron Ore, Limestone, Manganese Ore, Sillimanite
Rajasthan	Copper Ore, Garnet, Selenite, Iron Ore, Lead & Zinc ore, Limestone, Manganese Ore, Phosphorite, Siliceous Earth, Wollastonite
Tamil Nadu	Bauxite, Garnet, Graphite, Limestone, Magnesite, Vermiculite
Telangana	Limestone, Manganese Ore
Uttar Pradesh	Limestone, Magnesite
West Bengal	Apatite

Source: Indian Bureau of Mines