

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY
(DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE)

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4894
TO BE ANSWERED ON 26th MARCH, 2018

IMPORT OF METALLIC WASTE/SCRAP

4894. SHRI SHIVKUMAR UDASI:

Will the Minister of **COMMERCE & INDUSTRY** (वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री) be pleased to state:

- the total quantum and value of metallic waste and scrap imported from various countries during each of the last three years and the current year, item and country-wise;
- whether various kinds of explosives and other hazardous waste are also included in the import of scrap from various countries and if so, the details thereof along with the reaction of the Government thereto;
- whether import procedures have been violated by several firms in the country and if so, the details of cases of violations of procedures examined and the action taken against such firms; and
- whether the Government proposes to review the import policy of scrap/waste material and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री सी. आर. चौधरी)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
(SHRI C. R. CHAUDHARY)

- (a) the total quantum and value of metallic waste and scrap imported during each of the last three years and the current year is as under:-

COMMO DITY DESCRIP TION	2014-15		2015-16		2016-17		2017-18 (APR TO JAN)*	
	QTY** (MT)	VAL** (US\$M)	QTY** (MT)	VAL** (US \$M)	QTY** (MT)	VAL** (US \$M)	QTY** (MT)	VAL** (US \$M)
ALUMINIUM WASTE AND SCRAP	892456	1552	867472	1325	931278	1402	939814	1694
COPPER WASTE AND SCRAP	166850	854	181898	764	171219	671	148389	675

FERROUS WASTE AND SCRAP; REMELTING SCRAP INGOTS	5935945	3329	7218870	2824	5719953	2053	4591750	2150
LEAD WASTE AND SCRAP	60731	112	58724	90	66653	107	78979	146
NICKEL WASTE AND SCRAP	2552	20	2009	12	2660	16	3422	21
ZINC WASTE AND SCRAP	83660	153	58939	98	69744	130	67702	165
OTHER BASE METALS WASTE & SCRAP	302	.88	372	1	1304	3	1636	4
Grand Total	7142500	6023	8388286	5117	6962814	4385	5831694	4860

Note:*Figures for 2017-18(APR-JAN) is provisional.

**Figures for quantity (in MT) and Value (US\$ Millions) have been rounded off

The country-wise details of such imports are annexed at Annexure-I.

(b) Details of various kinds of explosives and other hazardous waste included in import of scrap from various countries and reaction thereto are as under:

Details of various kinds of explosives and other hazardous waste included in import of scrap from various countries				Action taken by Customs
Sl. No.	Item details	Value (Rs.)	Exporting Country	
1.	War material	9821	Angola	Goods absolutely confiscated and penalty imposed on importer.
2.	Used Bullets	35,000	United States	Cargo is proposed for absolute confiscation. Adjudication pending.
3.	Used/ unused Cartridges & used mortar	3000	South Africa	Cargo is proposed for absolute confiscation. Adjudication pending.

(c) Details of violations of procedures examined and action taken against such firms are as under:

Year	No. of cases	Violation of Import procedure examined	Action taken by Customs
2014-15	68	The cases pertain to import at non-designated ports, undervaluation, mis-declaration of goods.	183 cases have been adjudicated by Competent authority. In other 8 cases action as per Customs Rules has been initiated..
2015-16	31		
2016-17	49		
2017-18 (till 20.03.2018)	43		

(d) No such proposal is under consideration at present.

Annexure-I

COUNTRY-WISE IMPORT OF METALIC WASTE AND SCRAP DURING LAST THREE YEARS AND CURRENT YEAR (APR TO JAN)								
COUNTRY	2014-15		2015-16		2016-17		2017-18 (APR TO JAN)	
	QTY(KGS)	VAL(US \$)	QTY(KGS)	VAL(US \$)	QTY(KGS)	VAL(US \$)	QTY(KGS)	VAL(US \$)
AFGHANISTAN			19000	21751				
ALBANIA	154980	342714	227865	615739	25000	79300	14000	22394
ALGERIA			76000	129088				
AMERI SAMOA	665000	253209	76554	235419				
ANDORRA					264000	60360		
ANGOLA	143902441	67093057	6514670	4070429	168000	286574	2462000	2117685
ANTIGUA	19000	34008						
ARGENTINA	334000	502362			270581	90133	53000	143647
ARMENIA	21848	95188	48752	159424	136000	444068	90430	180057
ARUBA	69000	27735	126000	38925	39000	60189		
AUSTRALIA	295526749	220567228	469511864	235392202	272735225	166796285	311840312	237878628
AUSTRIA	1940816	4008040	1768375	2766268	2476358	4366349	1709632	4273329
AZERBAIJAN	45000	190788						
BAHAMAS	368565	158675	130600	31081	25000	41916	46790	29088
BAHARAIN IS	114111160	72076154	71232344	45095249	75177884	39743541	70895301	48171230
BANGLADESH PR	12190088	18948107	11370225	15509863	17277605	21116497	18323507	34405164
BARBADOS			25650	45573				
BELGIUM	122562921	122378912	115988742	80604921	188109755	82831565	75052447	71909023
BELIZE	96000	56667	335000	129974	21000	29723		
BENIN	26752008	22106655	44871619	26436810	36432937	24065590	37421730	25186902
BOLIVIA	22890	40311	201610	347465	41800	64253	177000	370147
BOSNIA-HRZGOVIN			22500	42015				
BOTSWANA	122426	282168	166972	201135	235723	958274	70326	258669
BRAZIL	110089452	50169524	224849131	70331967	127715451	35798915	70542195	25143284
BULGARIA	3793011	8000916	4499019	8045786	4666601	6321164	7556559	11082955
C AFRI REP					23000	32742	73000	40012
CAMEROON	387280	205779	492000	237119	754000	502436	586000	234583
CANADA	69497086	40170128	109445463	53091291	122156312	52302008	60807681	46298330
CAPE VERDE IS	5456175	2761565	5212995	2598782	3095265	1708089	3569770	1923903
CHILE	11212859	9488649	47624675	20129777	65069913	28788464	33052032	26126511
CHINA P RP	837462	816808	2439901	1367339	1489559	983946	168251659	55601482
COLOMBIA	1520387	3026627	2496521	3950258	2491821	3552977	4929236	5848431
COMOROS	1460400	580583	379000	128212	416500	114340	1240000	477330
CONGO D. REP.	11652842	7673918	3751395	1861346	613050	699077	641550	641097
CONGO P REP	5043211	8465246	2370167	4646024	3843250	2664507	30426595	12365196
COSTA RICA	1032600	598117	3874700	1359829	396716	532200	1986500	923069
COTE D'IVOIRE	3223629	4617866	719400	1214092	584985	918374	2635560	3889829
CROATIA	45000	78744						
CUBA							220500	433001

CYPRUS	8405776	7718342	3761242	4404881	2417394	4083361	5071908	5572297
CZECH REPUBLIC	1181780	5355760	1573730	4644505	1994680	2773679	1481840	3946362
DENMARK	45015151	34669925	28917105	22226829	44103673	17976891	30872565	22327342
DJIBOUTI	313000	146022			146000	75566	95300	127656
DOMINIC REP	3714891	4562740	6738661	3394367	7553080	4938929	8434775	6638060
DOMINICA	39000	68381			72000	108298	76920	136530
EAST TIMOR	530000	213120						
ECUADOR	1295704	2087363	1104813	1365283	1071752	1515668	499105	890334
EGYPT A RP	10312267	14188279	2468815	3021218	6448935	8301104	7142213	8646222
EL SALVADOR	10305145	4529743	2601893	1710024	2442400	1187739	1023500	691535
EQUTL GUINEA	6923325	2947047	4506500	1512240	3486000	895489	6810200	2269866
ERITREA			476000	132642				
ESTONIA	9380285	6409032	8650280	6027780	3197840	3018703	5007248	3161358
ETHIOPIA	16100	28881						
FIJI IS					566000	125063	122000	31346
FINLAND	33403944	27802578	28480098	21345418	20603447	27919240	9290496	16719187
FR GUIANA			81420	52201	50900	69889		
FRANCE	18752012	28132391	18325679	19031206	15549496	15030334	14657835	21580931
GABON	6104592	4109542	43500	142005	188700	215101	321000	598165
GAMBIA	2648082	1867972	8006580	2846564	6823280	1996723	12400620	4326051
GEORGIA	6021378	12496604	4344010	7392582	3990647	6074054	5140907	9825154
GERMANY	244614824	227821825	154538673	147586022	137645976	135993531	74494610	119394114
GHANA	39137889	31343327	20383474	23438600	21627607	23799085	19763575	24772914
GREECE	17881239	31347671	12433467	17420551	12056026	15991788	8868227	14751562
GREENLAND			61000	97362	78000	101580		
GRENADA							37060	73575
GUADELOUPE			20000	28826				
GUATEMALA	523745	685328	631898	979044	1194886	1232621	624128	1297277
GUINEA	37450629	20146043	28082626	12568920	30230700	11350807	38642898	16574385
GUINEA BISSAU	843280	348543	865760	299903	727000	169188	1410000	404328
GUYANA	264000	109250	394010	177513			500000	205013
HAITI	2642020	1130792	6686820	2280282	5033649	1398861	2035582	1804573
HONDURAS	52072192	22187474	47764021	14653593	23550120	5975723	22040156	6940449
HONG KONG	4507531	5097183	71641134	22657363	143057305	39506044	185490955	70155642
HUNGARY	338774	917281	312000	740193	429101	835393	1115578	2831602
ICELAND							104000	227188
INDONESIA	8933087	12090248	11888226	12272168	26293127	25091415	27725657	32857893
IRAN	171000	158364	78000	17130	8000	1452	22700	125241
IRELAND	15185165	9622966	19292896	6806440	7000260	2055478	4723235	2528545
ISRAEL	15044077	23332446	17095937	21854255	29843273	29814886	37098754	44768781
ITALY	29738388	56002489	23207449	36660184	23114874	34433169	17149558	32976126
JAMAICA	617000	451289	99670	125614	439370	109684	428980	250463
JAPAN	10970016	8761162	97900565	32317131	28506675	10588265	33008444	13516536
JORDAN	9943354	21975035	6975928	13205089	12740853	18703577	9725921	16985744
KAZAKHSTAN							76920	271150
KENYA	4236884	8081185	2264262	4034737	4971168	10618280	7832407	16497704
KOREA DP RP	902634	1504603	2407138	1586119	1051760	694647	1242961	1169865

KOREA RP	58523123	77373921	120637413	97241917	92252300	77715316	78879990	82422164
KUWAIT	147820078	122448114	55944198	68794736	70697988	67054259	89531349	88828284
KYRGHYZSTAN	21000	39667						
LAO PD RP					19000	27387		
LATVIA	20691150	11465607	21956193	9031393	21190442	7016084	12364310	5309670
LEBANON	12142830	26850360	9674510	19239657	12336705	22501041	11558459	22775837
LIBERIA	12031168	5963965	22434477	8959751	10193570	4958437	15057096	6781943
LIBYA	2938950	4269131	1924036	3390112	8892360	6401097	13700810	17966729
LITHUANIA	4912444	5115708	3480415	6045848	3777409	4144959	4632220	4253559
LUXEMBOURG	254000	547964	23000	45306	400090	288025		
MACAO	24000	40655						
MADAGASCAR	995250	2144390	1186317	2019100	171300	711195	354000	295254
MALAYSIA	211697811	203160620	245336189	177830868	245513539	152923291	209599672	156698122
MALDIVES	5714360	3559008	5353338	2729865	6944053	2593419	8536404	3354088
MALI	1185535	1009089	306000	74560	981938	236953	616000	188388
MALTA	1900225	823505	1111100	576393	2164370	579156	2029554	558793
MARSHALL ISLAND							28000	6025
MARTINIQUE	256000	89294						
MAURITANIA	32866449	18834651	23580056	12063991	9994375	5741665	1528030	1745780
MAURITIUS	17828338	9804891	18592615	7633131	12476092	4584998	2560350	2457036
MEXICO	9573575	17566203	16415000	23698188	10312484	13065902	12397665	19308154
MOROCCO	17455574	32098398	10818736	20524222	13225392	20755479	17712839	30250253
MOZAMBIQUE	22673175	10535057	25952369	9119966	19235352	7533390	36894246	14788182
MYANMAR							91000	27100
NAMIBIA	19939664	7961185	27731575	8371994	14384838	3509911	7973240	2721282
NEPAL	1081396	311741	333063	109550	429141	146567	1486175	446886
NETHERLAND	200862785	283855713	169801643	202472431	211516490	186246101	142811102	222487877
NETHERLAND ANTIL	2310960	2375011	2739820	1022206	916180	424364	159000	423723
NEW CALEDONIA							1156790	360953
NEW ZEALAND	48713404	42700095	104101142	50920199	73741157	41417733	74165979	53449941
NICARAGUA			80700	120243	252402	395312	161936	295955
NIGER							26000	53370
NIGERIA	19548050	33760334	24288175	34908060	27599168	41614952	21189434	38785352
NORFOLK IS							25000	43558
NORWAY	16784886	20037008	11540755	10911192	20334030	13601998	11451870	8606101
OMAN	47927932	22287068	35756470	13134854	34649299	13273981	30035225	13140755
PAKISTAN IR	961425	2304898	69000	157152	211000	346046	199250	411524
PANAMA REPUBLIC	342376	181583	2204298	901970	1962620	1600094	469333	638395
PAPUA N GNA	12900	23697	69000	23824				
PARAGUAY	4241000	1814685	18708230	5414701	17652380	4423780	19999740	7453387
PERU	877118	1865868	626180	1067771	2016777	3306429	3089026	4794540
PHILIPPINES	3544978	4711057	18858628	6261046	23246896	10714248	27451250	17515668
POLAND	113113952	73411293	49461382	37592717	76757495	39236842	37294175	31731115
PORTUGAL	26502035	8973147	3300732	8872504	2002709	4271472	1724764	3564096
PUERTO RICO	6032750	2873213	3918758	2002076	881519	520749	810856	959362
QATAR	16950358	48450185	16686981	38881418	18652739	38732949	20704491	60276094
REUNION	35340374	15963212	36224156	12459234	24614272	7757245	26689431	9882426

ROMANIA	2549450	5196239	1270540	1984307	869250	802544	415860	619227
RUSSIA	20568108	20971225	14826903	15110559	15347935	7873608	4998883	5466446
RWANDA			204000	348015	499000	650288	391000	764803
SAUDI ARAB	162146337	402503293	160378141	343434711	182365034	365633064	172000559	397848923
SENEGAL	54320833	29819522	56166665	23873836	63951175	23528402	76337146	35646418
SERBIA	44000	175967						
SEYCHELLES	2118930	1026834	1639970	584115	1373820	590768	2009660	805926
SIERRA LEONE	19560235	10731587	21416650	9065575	18531990	6477419	28341571	11474065
SINGAPORE	258161761	194200930	423963587	192324206	255959285	137329123	212742512	140299396
SLOVAK REP	437160	1372527	668601	1876318	607069	1636270	344298	941910
SLOVENIA	2067020	2913286	1115960	3035476	1581600	3231713	1006844	2951514
SOMALIA	17000	51448	250000	91994			126000	250982
SOUTH AFRICA	943989861	466714498	822075941	331151678	331067019	150352800	277255350	152152427
SPAIN	24447291	50576374	23498566	41454265	15902042	24329388	15053218	27352996
SRI LANKA DSR	539025	1254642	3175718	1893611	18361713	6215179	19756470	8375147
ST HELENA	27760	76401						
ST LUCIA	159600	132994	709950	453704	280400	196277	468400	215754
SUDAN	1814530	2835362	2012620	3434140	2600750	4708753	2876190	5497046
SURINAME	100000	144360	127000	40036	657500	290926	975800	575387
SWAZILAND	47000	85909	52124	106923	27000	41161	25000	94621
SWEDEN	52724271	47997560	32979514	25549277	60759266	31473456	59339874	36253056
SWITZERLAND	4611726	17156440	6267554	11110192	7155443	13840978	4387682	14553892
TAIWAN	10257897	16592888	12342640	13009680	8264075	6317466	8345208	7755508
TANZANIA REP	23950404	16245223	17797703	10371139	125399125	9946592	23476485	16191746
THAILAND	118271449	172771756	152720476	129249940	172315401	113335662	104763301	98277700
TIMOR-LESTE			14660	21571				
TOGO	78322002	39126780	98713601	40272372	76647333	34142172	111782960	48558777
TRINIDAD	3141885	1433638	10374010	3595830	9149676	2559265	6160385	2224153
TUNISIA	1006719	2279650	215500	362879	496455	816615	3068288	2225390
TURKEY	12976583	22347169	23610570	22103915	51672251	48667961	46226105	52223903
TURKMENISTAN					229000	267512		
U ARAB EMTS	1.019E+09	829373370	1.183E+09	680244629	895801877	556187316	773542823	574152041
U K	985626781	732576435	1.115E+09	610508442	998270605	524261859	593988375	508106048
U S A	557009618	465911012	1.275E+09	611812434	930851324	497172995	760902982	554847700
UGANDA			56000	78863	24000	40084	26000	42323
UKRAINE	294000	129959	1283000	417250	73985	18334	20000	155738
UNSPECIFIED	465050	671199	1077810	295380	1532605	408795	167185	43465
URUGUAY	1516979	1429474	5273920	2091318	2636314	1355055	2053510	1700946
US MINOR OUTLYING ISLANDS			44397	69458	150000	40783	42000	40383
VENEZUELA	857124	1482420	150500	227408	1094630	1795101	1475600	2782285
VIETNAM SOC REP	27072212	28731889	30280921	28628359	60353720	57895445	61069999	66213289
YEMEN REPUBLIC	841960	1765325	259000	233831	46000	55870	1086870	1315462
ZAMBIA	103000	707654			251000	55009	212440	277183
Grand Total	7142500468	6023379104	8388286864	5117033719	6962814783	4385639995	5831694944	4860175739
