GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF STEEL

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4739 FOR ANSWER ON 29.03.2023

PLI SCHEME FOR STEEL

4739. SHRI ADALA PRABHAKARA REDDY:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the minimum investment threshold for different product categories under the PLI scheme for speciality steel;
- (b) whether the high investment threshold for most categories will prevent MSMEs and smaller players from taking advantage of the PLI scheme;
- (c) if so, the manner in which the Government proposes to address this issue;
- (d) whether the Government has taken any steps to incentivise MSMEs and smaller players to participate in the production of speciality steel; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL

(SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE)

(a)to(e): Government held extensive consultation with all segments of steel manufacturers including MSMEs. The list of specialty steel categories to be incentivized and other parameters including investment thresholds were finalized after these deliberations. The details of minimum investment threshold for different product categories under the PLI scheme for specialty steel are given as follows:-

SI. No.	Sub-category	Minimum investment threshold (₹ Cr)
1	Galvanneal/GI-Auto-Gr	700
2	Tin mill Products	600
3 (a)	Coated/Plated products of Metallic/Non-Metallic alloys	200
3 (b)	Al-Zn coated (Galvalume)	
4	Colour Coated	300
5 (a)	HR Coil, Sheets and Plates API Gr 52<=X<=70	2750
5 (b)	HR Coil, Sheets and Plates API Gr>X-70	
5 (c)	High Tensile Sheets, Coil, Plates, YS>=450	
6	Auto Gr Steel AHSS (CRCA: Cold rolled closed annealed)	1000
7 (a)	Boiler Quality, Pressure Vessels	2500
7 (b)	QT / Abrasion Resistance and Wear Resistance	
8 (a)	Asymmetric Rails	350
8 (b)	Head Hardened rails	
9 (a)	Alloy Steel: Tool and Die Steel	100
9 (b)	Alloy Steel: Valve Steel	
10	Alloy Steel: Bearing Steel	
11	Automotive powertrain steel	
12	Precipitation Hardened Stainless Steel	
13	Tyre Bead wire	
14	C' Class Zinc Coated Wire	
15	Zinc - Aluminium Coated Wire	
16	Tyre Cord (Brass Coated)	600
17	Oil Tempered Spring Steel wire	30
18	CRGO	5000
19	CRNO	700
