GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COAL LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 482 TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.12.2023

Import of Coal

482. SHRI ADHIKARI DEEPAK (DEV):

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of coal imported during the last five-years, year-wise; and
- (b) the details of top five coal importers of our country, company-wise along with amount of imported coal purchased?

Answer

MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS, COAL AND MINES (SHRI PRALHAD JOSHI)

(a): The details of coal imported and value of coal are given below in the table.

Import of Coal, Coke and Others to India during 2018-19 to 2022-23 and 2023-24 upto Sept-23													
(Quantity in Million Tonnes & Value in Million Rs.)													
Year	20	2018-19		2019-20		2020-21		2021-22		2022-23		2023-24 Upto Sep23	
	Qty	Value											
Total	235.35	1709204.90	248.54	1527320.55	215.25	1160240.54	208.63	2287841.24	237.67	3835843.76	125.21	1495187.14	

(b): Coal is kept under Open General License (OGL) and consumers are free to import coal from the source of their choice as per their contractual agreement on payment of applicable duty.
