

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COAL
LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO.*341
TO BE ANSWERED ON 18.03.2020**

Coal based Industries

***341.SHRIMATI GOMATI SAI:**

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of coal based industries currently closed down in Raigarh district due to the shortage of coal;
- (b) the amount of revenue loss due to closure of these industries; and
- (c) whether there is any plan to make these industries operational again and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF COAL, MINES AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS

(SHRI PRALHAD JOSHI)

(a) to (c): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement referred to in reply to parts (a) to (c) of Lok Sabha Starred Question No.341 for answer on 18.03.2020 asked by SHRIMATI GOMATI SAI:

(a) to (c) : Coal supply is regularly made by Mahanadi Coalfields Limited (MCL) and South Eastern Coalfields Limited (SECL) through Fuel Supply Agreement (FSA) and Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to 41 coal based industries at Raigarh district. MCL and SECL do not have any report of any of these industries, which have FSA/MoU with these coal companies, closing down due to coal shortage.
