

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF COAL**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3946  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 18.03.2020**

**Irregularity in Supply of Coal**

**3946. SHRI SISIR KUMAR ADHIKARI:**

Will the Minister of Coal be pleased to state:

- a. whether Government is aware of the FIR case filed by CBI against a firm alleging irregularities for supply of coal to power companies;
- b. if so, whether there is any manipulation in selection process of bidders;
- c. whether inspite of lowest bidding from a Government Stake, a private company has been favoured in the supply process therefor; and
- d. if so, the reasons therefor and action taken thereon?

**ANSWER**

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

(a) to (d): The information as received from CBI is attached as Annexure 'A'.

**Annexure-“A”**

**LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3946 FOR REPLY ON 18.03.2020  
REGARDING “IRREGULARITY IN SUPPLY OF COAL”**

<b>Sl. No</b>	<b>Case No., Date of Registration and Sections of Law</b>	<b>Details of accused/ Firm/Company</b>	<b>Allegations, in brief</b>	<b>Name of the Firm/Company allegedly favoured in selection process.</b>	<b>Present status of the case.</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
1	RC-1(A)/2020-CBI/ACU-V dated 15.01.2020 U/s 120-B r/w 420 of IPC and U/s 13(2) r/w 13(1)(d) of PC Act, 1988	1. The then Chairman, NCCF, New Delhi 2. The then MD, NCCF, New Delhi. 3. The then Senior Advisor, NCCF, New Delhi (since expired) 4. M/s Adani Enterprises Ltd. 5. Other unknown public servants & others.	During the month of July, 2010, the accused public servants allegedly abused their official positions and conspired with M/s Adani Enterprises & others in the matter of award of tender for supply of imported coal by M/s Andhra Pradesh Power Generation Corporation (APGENCO); pursuant to which, the tender for supply of imported coal was awarded in the year 2010 to the ineligible bidder, M/s Adani Enterprises Ltd.	M/s Adani Enterprises Ltd.	Under investigation