GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COAL LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1458 ANSWERED ON– 10/02/2021

ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE FOR COAL MINES

1458. SHRIMATI ANNPURNA DEVI:

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) whether environmental clearance to start several coal mines located in Jharkhand have not been issued;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the number of coal mines issued environmental clearance along with the number of coal mines for which such clearance is pending in Jharkhand during the year 2020-21?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): 14 Projects in Jharkhand are yet to be issued environmental clearance till now. During 2020-21, environmental clearance has been issued for 11 projects of Jharkhand.
