

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COAL
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2400
TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.03.2022**

Coal Block Auction

2400. SHRI MAHESH SAHOO:

Will the Minister of *COAL* be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether the Government has put up 38 coal blocks for auction in 2020;
- (b) if so, the number of coal blocks that are in Odisha; and
- (c) the total value of auction of coal blocks in Odisha, block-wise?

ANSWER

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

- (a) Yes Sir.
- (b) Out of 38 coal blocks put up in first round of auction for commercial mining in 2020, there were 9 coal blocks in State of Odisha.
- (c) Out of aforementioned 9 coal blocks of State of Odisha put up in first round of auction for commercial mining, three coal blocks were successfully auctioned whose details are as below:-

S. No.	Name of coal mine	Successful bidder	End Use	Allocation date	PRC (MTPA)	Bid price/ % of revenue share	Estimated Annual Revenue [In crore]
1	Radhikapur East	EMIL Mines and Mineral Resources	Sale of coal	03-03-2021	5.00	16.75%	461.33
2	Radhikapur West	Vedanta Limited	Sale of coal	03-03-2021	6.00	21%	585.98
3	Kuraloi (A) North	Vedanta Limited	Sale of coal	03-09-2021	8.00	15.25%	755.12
