

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COAL

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 656
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.07.2022

Auction of Coal Mines

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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has planned for auction/allocation of coal blocks till 2030;
- (b) if so, the details of overall auction/allocation schedule along with the envisaged timeline of its operation;
- (c) the details of the progress made by Coal India Ltd to achieve its one billion tonne production target by 2023-24; and
- (d) the details of auctioned coal blocks in the country since 2014?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b) : Auction of coal blocks is a continuous process. As per the prescribed procedure, companies may apply as and when Notice Inviting Application/Notice Inviting Tender is published by the Nominated Authority/Ministry of Coal. Applications, if any, are considered as per the norms specified.

(c) : To achieve 1 BT coal production by FY 2024-25, the progress made so far by Coal India Ltd. (CIL) since April' 2020 to June' 2022 is as follows:

1. 53 project reports including greenfield and expansion projects have been approved by CIL & its subsidiaries to create additional capacity of coal production. These projects will add additional capacity of about 278 Mty (million ton/ year) and projected to contribute additional production of about 102 Mt by FY 24-25.
2. Environmental Clearance granted for 60 proposals with an incremental capacity of 104.86 Mty.
3. Stage-I Forest Clearance granted for 09 proposals involving 934.96 Ha of forest land.
4. Stage-II Forest Clearance granted for 14 proposals involving 2580.68 Ha of forest land.
5. 6966.87 Ha of land have been possessed.
6. 06 First Mile Connectivity Projects of CHP/SILO have been commissioned with aggregate capacity of 82 Mty.

7. 04 Rail Connectivity projects have been commissioned and 1 Rail Siding have been commissioned.

8. Rail Projects - Kharsia- Dharamjaigarh rail line of 87 Kms (CERL Ph-I) in Chhattisgarh has been commissioned, Lingaraj SILO to Deulbeda rail connectivity of 4.4 Km has been commissioned, Work of tripling of Tori-Shivpur rail link in Jharkhand started and Doubling of Jharsuguda- Barpali-Sardega rail link in Odisha started.

9. Work awarded for 06 MDO Projects with aggregate capacity of 96.74 Mty.

(d) : Details of coal mines Auctioned by Nominated Authority whose allocation is in force presently is given below:-

S. No.	Name of Coal Mine	State	Successful Bidder / Allottee	End Use	Vesting order/ Allotment order date
1	Chotia	Chhattisgarh	Bharat Aluminium Company Ltd.	NRS	23-03-2015
2	Gare Palma IV/4	Chhattisgarh	Hindalco Industries Ltd.	NRS	23-03-2015
3	Gare Palma IV/5	Chhattisgarh	Hindalco Industries Ltd.	NRS	23-03-2015
4	Kathautia	Jharkhand	Hindalco Industries Ltd.	NRS	23-03-2015
5	Amelia North	Madhya Pradesh(M.P.)	Jaiprakash Power Ventures Ltd.	Power	23-03-2015
6	Bicharpur	M.P.	UltraTech Cement Ltd.	NRS	23-03-2015
7	Sial Ghoghri	M.P.	Reliance Cement Company Private Ltd.	NRS	23-03-2015
8	Belgaon	Maharashtra	Sunflag Iron and Steel Company Ltd.	NRS	23-03-2015
9	Talabira-I*	Odisha	GMR Chhattisgarh Energy Ltd.	Power	23-03-2015
10	Sarisatolli	West Bengal	CESC Ltd.	Power	23-03-2015
11	Trans Damodar	West Bengal	The Durgapur Projects Ltd.	Power	23-03-2015
12	Marki Mangli III	Maharashtra	B.S. Ispat Ltd.	NRS	17-04-2015
13	Gare Palma Sector IV/8	Chhattisgarh	Ambuja Cements Ltd.	NRS	22-04-2015
14	Dumri	Jharkhand	Hindalco Industries Ltd.	NRS	22-04-2015
15	Ganeshpur*	Jharkhand	GMR Chhattisgarh Energy Ltd.	Power	22-04-2015
16	Lohari	Jharkhand	Araanya Mines Private Ltd.	NRS	22-04-2015
17	Meral	Jharkhand	Trimula Industries Ltd.	NRS	22-04-2015

18	Moitra	Jharkhand	JSW Steel Ltd.	NRS	22-04-2015
19	Nerad Malegaon	Maharashtra	Indrajit Power Private Ltd	NRS	22-04-2015
20	Marki Mangli-I	Maharashtra	Topworth Urja and Metals Ltd.	NRS	30-09-2015
21	Ardhagram*	West Bengal	OCL Iron and Steel Ltd.*	NRS	14-07-2016
22	Bikram	M.P.	Birla Corp. Ltd.	NRS	10-02-2020
23	Brahampuri	M.P.	Birla Corp. Ltd.	NRS	10-02-2020
24	Jamkhani	Odisha	Vedanta Ltd.	NRS	10-02-2020
25	Jaganathpur B	West Bengal	Powerplus Traders Pvt. Ltd.	NRS	13-02-2020
26	Brahmdiha	Jharkhand	APMDCL	Sale of Coal	02-03-2021
27	Rajhara North (Central & Eastern)	Jharkhand	Fairmine Carbons Private Ltd.	-do-	03-03-2021
28	UrmaPaharitola	Jharkhand	Aurobindo Reality And Infrastructure Private Ltd.	-do-	03-03-2021
29	Chakla	Jharkhand	Hindalco Industries Ltd.	-do-	03-03-2021
30	Urtan North	M.P.	JMS Mining Private Ltd.	-do-	03-03-2021
31	Sahapur West	M.P.	Sarda Energy And Minerals Ltd.	-do-	03-03-2021
32	Sahapur East	M.P.	Chowgule And Company Private Ltd.	-do-	03-03-2021
33	Urtan	M.P.	JMS Mining Private Ltd.	-do-	03-03-2021
34	Dhirauli	M.P.	Stratatech Mineral Resources Private Ltd.	-do-	03-03-2021
35	Bandha	M.P.	EMIL Mines And Mineral Resources Ltd.	-do-	03-03-2021
36	Marki Mangli-II	Maharashtra	Yazdani International Private Ltd.	-do-	03-03-2021
37	Takli-Jena-Bellora (North) & Takli-Jena-Bellora (South)	Maharashtra	Aurobindo Reality And Infrastructure Private Ltd.	-do-	03-03-2021
38	Radhikapur East	Odisha	EMIL Mines and Mineral Resources Ltd.	-do-	03-03-2021

39	Radhikapur West	Odisha	Vedanta Ltd.	-do-	03-03-2021
40	Gare Palma IV/7	Chhattisgarh	Sarda Energy and Minerals Ltd.	-do-	08-03-2021
41	Gare Palma IV/1	Chhattisgarh	Jindal Power Ltd.	-do-	08-03-2021
42	Gondulpara	Jharkhand	Adani Enterprises Ltd.	-do-	08-03-2021
43	Kuraloi (A) North	Odisha	Vedanta Ltd.	-do-	03-09-2021
44	Bhaskarpara	Chhattisgarh	Prakash Industries Ltd.	-do-	18-11-2021
45	Jhigador	Chhattisgarh	CG Natural Resources Private Ltd.	-do-	18-11-2021
46	Khargaon	Chhattisgarh	CG Natural Resources Private Ltd.	-do-	18-11-2021
47	Jogeshwar & Khas Jogeswar	Jharkhand	South West Pinnacle Exploration Ltd.	-do-	18-11-2021
48	Rauta Closed	Jharkhand	Shreesatya Mine Private Ltd.	-do-	18-11-2021
49-50	Gotitoria (East) & (West)	M.P.	Boulder Stone Mart Pvt. Ltd.	-do-	18-11-2021
51	Gondkhari	Maharashtra	Adani Power Maharashtra Ltd.	-do-	18-11-2021
52	Bhivkund	Maharashtra	Sunflag Iron and Steel Company Ltd.	-do-	18-11-2021

** mines terminated by Nominated Authority but matter sub-judice.*
