

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MINES
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †5092
ANSWERED ON 02.04.2025

AUCTIONING OF MINES

†5092. SHRI BIDYUT BARAN MAHATO:
SHRI YOGENDER CHANDOLIA:
SHRI CHHATRAPAL SINGH GANGWAR:
SHRI DINESHBHAI MAKWANA:

Will the Minister of MINES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of mines auctioned in the country since the introduction of the Auction Regime in the year 2015 till February, 2025;
- (b) the number of mines auctioned during the Financial Year 2024-25 till February, 2025; and
- (c) the number of mines auctioned for mining lease during the financial year 2024-25 till February, 2025?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF COAL AND MINES
(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

(a) Since the introduction of auction regime in 2015, 457 major mineral blocks have auctioned across the country till February, 2025.

(b) & (c) 103 major mineral blocks have been auctioned during the financial year 2024-25 till February, 2025 of which 57 blocks were auctioned for mining lease.
