

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF POWER**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2079
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.03.2016**

CLEAN COAL TECHNOLOGY

**2079. SHRI G. HARI:
SHRI ASADUDDIN OWAISI:**

**Will the Minister of POWER
be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether India and Australia have agreed on enhancing cooperation in clean coal technology in a bid to meet the burgeoning demand for cheaper and environment friendly energy in one of the fastest growing economies, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) if so, whether India has highlighted the role of High Efficiency Low Emission technology (HELE); and
- (c) if so, the extent to which India's Intended Nationally Determined Contribution (INDC) and HELE has got support from climate finance and development banks?

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**THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR POWER,
COAL AND NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY**

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) & (b) : In the context of the India-Australia Energy Security Dialogue, business to business roundtables took place in Australia from 7th to 11th February, 2016, wherein discussions were held, inter-alia, on Efficient Coal Mining, Clean Coal Technologies, Coal Gasification (including underground), etc.

(c) : India's Intended Nationally Determined Contributions (INDC) pertains to the period 2021-2030. No support has been received from the Green Climate Finance and other Development banks, as of now, for the INDCs.
