

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COAL
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No.272
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.02.2016

Extraction of Coal

272. SHRI ALOK SANJAR:

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) the state-wise quantum of coal extracted from the coal mines in the country including Madhya Pradesh during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (b) the quantum of coal allocated to the different sectors of economy and States during the said period, State-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has formulated any time bound scheme to achieve the target fixed with regard to meet the demand of coal in the country through the indigenously produced coal;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps being taken by the Government to increase the production of coal in the country?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL, POWER AND NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a): State-wise production of coal in the country including Madhya Pradesh during each of the last three years and the current year is given below:-

Coal Production (Mte)				
State	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16
	Actual	Actual	Actual	April-Dec. 2015 (Prov)
West Bengal	26.47	28.24	30.01	17.84
Jharkhand	111.27	113.09	124.15	82.33
Uttar Pradesh	16.09	14.72	14.96	8.84
Madhya Pradesh	75.95	75.59	87.61	76.46
Maharashtra	39.13	37.22	38.26	25.68
Chattisgarh	117.83	127.10	134.76	91.52
Odisha	110.13	112.92	123.63	97.67
Assam	0.61	0.66	0.78	0.17
Telangana	53.19	50.47	52.54	43.24
Others*	5.73	5.76	5.74	3.77
All India total	556.40	565.77	612.44	447.52
*Meghalaya and other low quantity coal producing states.			Source: Coal Controller's Organisation	

(b): Consumption / actual supply of coal (including import) increased from 713.39 million tonnes in 2012-13 to 820.32 million tonnes in 2014-15. Demand for coal for 2015-16 was estimated at 910 million tonnes against which, actual supply of coal in 2015-16 (Apr-Dec 2015) was 574.57 Mte. State-wise coal is not allocated. However, the sector wise breakup of actual supply of coal vis-à-vis the demand as estimated at the beginning of 2015-16 is given in the table.

S.No.	Sector	2012-13 Actual	2013-14 Actual	2014-15 Actual (P)	2015-16 Est Demand	2015-16 Actual (Apr-Dec 15)
I	Coking Coal					
1	Steel / Coke Oven & Cokeries (Indigenous)	16.90	15.49	22.28	--	10.68
2	Steel (Import)	35.56	36.87	43.72	--	26.79
	Sub Total	52.46	52.36	66.00	77.00	37.47
II.	Non Coking Coal					
3	Power (Utilities)	457.43	438.83	418.50	604.00	347.71
4	Power (Captive)	55.05	54.42	51.23	69.00	9.04
5	Cement	22.39	11.94	11.36	38.00	6.16
6	Sponge Iron/ CDI	20.90	18.49	14.68	34.00	0.19
7	BRK & Others .including Fertilizer and colliery consumption	107.95	163.31	258.55	88.00	174.00
	Sub Total	662.94	686.99	754.32	833.00	537.10
	Total Raw Coal	713.39	739.35	820.32	910.00	574.57
P- Provisional		Source : Coal Controller's Organisation				

(c)&(d): A roadmap has been prepared by Coal India Limited (CIL) to enhance production of coal to 1 Billion Tonnes of Coal by 2019-20. This includes capacity addition from new projects, use of mass production technologies and identification of existing on-going projects with growth potential.

(e): The focus of the Government is to increase the domestic production of Coal which include efforts to expedite clearances, pursuing with State Government for help in expediting land acquisition and coordinated effort with Railways for movement of coal. Steps have also been taken by Coal India Limited (CIL) and its subsidiaries to improve the production of coal by adopting latest available technologies such as Continuous Miners, Selective Mining, Surface Miners and clean Coal Technologies, Coal sizing and sampling technologies.
