

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MINES**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3167
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04TH AUGUST, 2016**

LINK BETWEEN MINERAL-BASED INDUSTRIES AND MINES

3167. SHRI SHARAD TRIPATHI:

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

- (a) the details of plans/schemes formulated and implemented by the Government to establish direct link between the mineral based industries and mines; and
- (b) the total funds allocated/utilized for the purpose during the last two years along with the success achieved in this regard so far?

ANSWER

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

(a): No plans / schemes have been formulated/ implemented by the Government to establish direct link between mineral based industries and mines. However, State Governments are empowered to reserve specific mines for a particular end use and allow only such eligible end users to participate in an auction for a mine.

(b): Does not arise in view of the reply given to (a) above.
