

(d) the reasons for not acceding to this request; and

(e) the latest position of the proposal ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) As reported by Singareni Collieries Company Limited (SCCL), the Government of Andhra Pradesh has not instructed SCCL to restrict coal supplies to cement units.

(b) to (e) Do not arise, in view of reply to part (a) of the question.

Survey on coal reserve

873. SHRI S.S. AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Geological Survey of India, Coal Mine Planning & Design Institute and Mineral Exploration Corporation of India Ltd. have been carrying out survey explorations, in order to ascertain the volume of inventory of geological reserve of Indian Coal;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether survey of coal reserve in Jharkhand has been conducted;

(d) if so, the details of its findings, as on April 1st, 2009; and

(e) the annual target fixed, if any, for mining of coal in Jharkhand during the Eleventh Five Year Plan period *vis-a-vis* the actual achievement?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Geological Survey of India (GSI), Central Mine Planning & Design Institute Limited (CMPDIL) and Mineral Exploration Corporation Ltd, (MECL) have been carrying out coal exploration in the country in order to ascertain the inventory of geological coal resources. As a result of the exploration, a cumulative total of 267.21 billion tonnes of coal resources have been estimated as on 01.04.2009.

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. Coal exploration carried out in Jharkhand State have estimated 76.712 billion tonnes of coal resources as on 01.04.2009.

(e) In the first two years of the XI Plan period, the actual coal production in the State of Jharkhand has been 90.895 million tonnes (2007-08) and 96.279 million tonnes (2008-09) including 78.19 million tonnes (2007-08) and 84.00 million tonnes (2008-09) from the mines of CIL subsidiary companies (Central Coalfields Ltd., Eastern Coalfields Ltd. & Bharat Coking Coal Ltd.). The targeted coal production from the mines of CIL subsidiary companies in the State of Jharkhand for 2009-10 is 90.14 million tonnes and the projected production for the 2011-12, the terminal year of the XI Plan is 131.46 million tonnes.

Allocation of coal by CIL

874. SHRI S.S.AHLUWALIA: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether Coal India Ltd. (CIL)/ its subsidiaries allocate coal to the enlisted buyers only who have entered into Fuel Supply Agreements (FSAs);