| 24   | Written Answers to [RA. | JYA SABHA] | Starred Questions |
|------|-------------------------|------------|-------------------|
| 1    | 2                       | 3          | 4                 |
| G 2  | 6701 - 7000             | 4700       | 4700              |
| G 3  | 6401 - 6700             | 4610       | 4610              |
| G 4  | 6101 - 6400             | 4560       | 4560              |
| G 5  | 5801 - 6100             | 3885       | 3885              |
| G 6  | 5501 - 5800             | 3780       | 3780              |
| G 7  | 5201 - 5500             | 3430       | 3430              |
| G 8  | 4901 - 5200             | 3130       | 3130              |
| G 9  | 4601 - 4900             | 2450       | 3020              |
| G 10 | 4301 - 4600             | 2310       | 2880              |
| G 11 | 4001 - 4300             | 1820       | 2340              |
| G 12 | 3701 - 4000             | 1600       | 2080              |
| G 13 | 3401 - 3700             | 1230       | 1660              |
| G 14 | 3101 - 3400             | 1100       | 1520              |
| G 15 | 2801 - 3100             | 970        | 1190              |
| G 16 | 2501 - 2800             | 920        | 1010              |
| G 17 | 2201 - 2500             | 650        | 650               |

## **Assurances given in Parliament**

\*306. SHRI JAVED ALI KHAN: Will the Minister of PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of assurances given by the Ministers during last five years in Rajya Sabha against starred and unstarred questions respectively;
  - (b) the number of assurances pending for fulfillment as on date;
- (c) the details of oldest assurance pending for fulfilment along with the number of assurances pending for more than one decade; and
- (d) the reasons for delay in fulfilling the assurances given by Ministers on the floor of the house?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI V. MURALEEDHARAN): (a) 3049 assurances given by the Ministers during last five years (19.03.2015 to 19.03.2020).

- (b) 1089 assurances are pending for fulfilment as on 19.03.2020.
- (c) The oldest assurance is Unstarred Question no. 3026 dated 19.04.1999 which belongs to Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment and 55 assurances are pending for more than one decade.
- (d) Information has to be collected from various sources like other Ministries/Departments of Government of India, State Governments and other agencies. There are some assurances which are dependent on Court cases and they can be fulfilled only after the final verdict of the court is given. There are some cases which involves policy decisions too large to be handled by a single Ministry/Department. All these factors contribute to delay in fulfilment of the assurances.

## Coal production targets of CIL

\*307. DR. AMAR PATNAIK: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has prepared a roadmap to meet the target of one billion tonne coal production by Coal India Limited (CIL) by the year 2024-25;
  - (b) the required growth rate necessary to meet such a target;
  - (c) the average growth rate of coal production in the preceding five years;
  - (d) whether the production target for the year 2019-20 was achieved;
  - (e) if not, the reasons therefor; and
  - (f) the details of present coal stock in power plants in the month of February?

THE MINISTER OF COAL (SHRI PRALHAD JOSHI): (a) and (b) Coal India Limited (CIL) has been directed to achieve 1 BT coal production by 2023-24 with a required compound average growth rate (CAGR) of 10.95%.

(c) Details of raw coal production trend and average growth of CIL during last five years is given below:-