

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COAL
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No.1642
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.08.2022

Coal production by CIL

1642. SHRI NIRANJAN BISHI:

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a): the target set by the Coal India Limited (CIL) for the production of coal in the next financial year;
(b): the necessary steps taken by Government to achieve this in the light of growing energy requirement of the nation; and
(c): the details of production of coal from Odisha?

Answer

MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS, COAL AND MINES
(SHRI PRALHAD JOSHI)

(a): CIL has projected coal production of 840 MT for 2023-24.

(b): In order to ramp up domestic production of coal, several steps have been taken of which the major steps are as under:

- To increase production through MDO model, Coal India Ltd. has identified 15 MDO Projects having combined capacity of 168.6 Million Tonne per year (MTY) of which Six MDO Projects have already been awarded with capacity of 96.74 MTY .
- Capacity addition through Greenfield and Brownfield Projects in CIL. Capacity addition of 289 MTY is being done through approval of new and expansion PRs (Future Projects).
- Advanced Technologies like surface miners, etc. for open cast mining and Power supported Longwall (PSLW), High wall Mining, continuous miner etc. for under ground mines are being deployed for efficiency and higher production of coal.
- CIL has taken steps to upgrade mechanised coal transportation and loading system through CHP/Silo under 'First Mile Connectivity' Projects . This will facilitate faster evacuation of coal.

(c): The production of raw coal in Odisha was 185.07MT in 2021-22.

The details of raw coal production during last three years are as under:

Company	Coal Production (Million Tonnes)		
	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22 (P)
	Actual	Actual	Actual
MCL	140.36	148.01	168.17
OCPL	1.00	2.00	5.25
NTPC	1.54	3.12	5.29
NLCIL	0.00	1.01	6.36
GMR	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total	142.90	154.14	185.07

*Provisional
