

(c) Under the working programme of co-operation between India & USSR a coal complex in Jharia coal-fields will be developed consisting of open-cast mine, washeries and captive thermal power station. The open-cast mine will have an ultimate capacity of about 12 million tonnes per year.

(d) Yes, Sir.

(e) A separate organisation for coal marketing has been set up as a part of Coal India Limited.

Closure of Mysore Cement Factory at Ammasandara due to Shortage for Coal

200. SHRI TARIQ ANWAR: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Mysore cement factory at Ammasandara has been closed due to the shortage of coal;

(b) whether the coal supply had been irregular during the last months and that the coal supply from the Western Coalfields for the said factory was diverted to Maharashtra Thermal Power Station;

(c) whether Government will incur a loss of Rs. 3,00,000 daily due to the closure of the unit; and

(d) what steps Government are taking to restart the cement factory immediately and to maintain adequate supply of coal to the plant?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRI VIKRAM MAHAJAN): (a) to (d). According to the information available Mysore Cement Factory at Ammasandara was closed due to shortage of coal on account of inadequate availability of wagons for movement for only one day in January '81. The plant has been operating at its rated capacity since the second fortnight of January '81. The coal supply to

the southern cement units were not adequate in the month of December '80. However, the matter was taken up with the Ministry of Railways who have agreed to step up the movement of coal to all the cement plants including those in southern part of the country.

12 hrs.

MR. SPEAKER: Nothing will go on record without my permission. Do not record anything.

SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES: (Muzaffarpur): We have given notice of an adjournment motion.

(Interruption)**

MR. SPEAKER: I will come to that

आप सब बैठ जाइए । बारी-बारी से बात करेंगे तो अच्छा होगा ।

(व्यवधान)

अध्यक्ष महोदय : माननीय सदस्यों से मेरी प्रार्थना है कि एडजर्नमेंट मोशन का जो उपयोग करना चाहते हैं अगर थोड़ा सा रूल्स पढ़ लें जिससे पता लगे कि इसका कितना उपयोग करना चाहिए । मुझ से बात कर लें । आई एम ओपन टू सजेसन । किसी बात की कोई कमी नहीं होगी । मैं आपका दे सकता हू कि कोई डिस्कशन बंद करने की कोशिश नहीं होगी ।

(व्यवधान)

एक माननीय सदस्य : पहले कभी तो ऐसा नहीं हुआ ।

अध्यक्ष महोदय : किया है ।

एक माननीय सदस्य : आपने नहीं किया और किसी ने किया होगा ।

(व्यवधान)

अध्यक्ष महोदय : आज ही कर लेंगे, देखेंगे । आप मुझे बता दीजिए, मेरे से आकर बात कर लीजिए ।