

(b) The statistics of actual loading are maintained both in million tonnes and in wagons. Actual loading in

million tonnes for above commodities for the above period was as under :-

(Million Tonnes)

Year	Coal	Fertilizer	Steel	Cement	Foodgrains
1993-94	167.00	19.50	12.08	32.54	26.68
1994-95	172.38	21.47	12.02	31.45	20.72
1995-96	184.30	23.24	12.06	31.80	25.81
1996-97 (April to Sept.'96)	93.37	9.11	5.82	16.48	14.04

The number of wagons actually loaded with each of the above commodities during the above period was as under :

(Daily average number of wagons in terms of 4 wheelers)

Year	Coal	Fertilizer	Steel	Cement	Foodgrains
<b>BROAD GAUGE</b>					
1993-94	19192	1974	1493	3052	2500
1994-95	19717	2282	1526	3181	2190
1995-96	20709	2475	1509	3167	2785
1996-97 (April to Sept.'96)	21252	1992	1480	3360	2974
<b>METRE GAUGE</b>					
1993-94	153	306	1	687	572
1994-95	157	267	-	689	332
1995-96	156	299	-	646	380
1996-97 (April to Sept.'96)	132	256	-	574	402

[English]

#### New Gold Ores and Diamond Tracts

\*214 SHRI PRAMOTHES MUKHERJEE :  
DR. M. JAGANNATH :

Will the Minister of MINES be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Geological Survey of India has recently identified new gold ores and diamonds bearing tracts in various States particularly in Andhra Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) the impact on nation's economy;

(d) the quantum of gold and diamonds reserves located during each of the last three years; and

(e) the estimated quantum of gold likely to be explored from various gold mines in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINISTER OF MINES (SHRI BIRENDRA PRASAD BAISHYA) : (a) and

(b). Yes, Sir. Geological Survey of India (GSI) has recently identified Gold Ores Reserves (Gold deposits) in the States of Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Kerala, Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh & Maharashtra which is as follows :

State	Reserve (m.t. Ore)	Grade (g/t Au)
1	2	3
<b>ANDHRA PRADESH</b>		
i) Dona Temple block, Kurnool district	0.4	6.0
ii) Kothapalle block, Anantapur district	0.115	2.65
iii) Kudithanapalle block Chittor District (Karnataka Reass- essment of Zone-II)	0.48	1.2

1	2	3
<b>KARNATAKA</b>		
i) Hira-Buddini block Raichur district	0.47	11.99
ii) Chinmulgund, Dharwar District	1.5	3.0
iii) Ajjanahalli West Block Tumkur district	0.38	1.3
iv) Ajjanahalli Main Block Tumkur District	0.77	2.09
v) G.R. Halli South Block Chitradurga District	0.6	4.0
<b>KERALA</b>		
i) Kappil Sector Malappuram District	0.065	1.75
<b>RAJASTHAN</b>		
i) Anandpuri Bhukia Banswara district (oxidised ore) (upto 10 m depth) (primary ore upto 100 m depth)	0.015	1.7
	0.98	1.49-2.5
<b>MADHYA PRADESH</b>		
i) Gurhar Pahar West Block Sidhi District	2.1	1.28
<b>MAHARASHTRA</b>		
i) Parsori West Block Nagpur District	0.137	5.23

**DIAMOND****Andhra Pradesh**

GSI has identified a number of Kimberlite Bodies - the source rock for diamond - in the Maddur - Narayanpet belt, Mahaboobnagar dist. and in Wajrakapur belt, Anandtapur dist.

**Madhya Pradesh**

Five Kimberlite bodies were located in the Bahradih-Payalikhad belt of Raipur District during 1992-94.

**Karnataka**

Five Kimberlite bodies have been located in Gulbarg District. Incidence of Diamond in these Kimberlite bodies are yet to be tested.

(c) At the present stage it is premature to make any guess about the impact on nation's economy till commercial exploitation takes place.

(d) The yearwise break up of gold reserves located during the last three years is as follows :-

1993-94 : 1.877 M.T. of ore with grade varying from 1.2 G/T to 5.23 G/T Au.

1994-95 : 1.535 M.T. of ore with grade varying from 1.75 G/T to 11.99 G/T Au.

1995-96 : 4.395 M.T. of ore with grade varying from 1.28 G/T to 3.0 G/T Au.

No quantification of diamond reserve has been established during the last three years.

(e) The estimated reserves of gold are of provisional nature. Further detailed exploration through exploratory mining will be required to assess the proved resources.

**ISD Call Racket**

\*215. SHRI RAMESHWAR PATIDAR :  
SHRIMATI BHAVNA BEN DEV RAJ  
BHAJ CHIKHALIA :

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state :

(a) whether rackets involving ISD and STD calls has been unearthed in the capital during 1996;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the action taken against those found guilty; and

(d) the steps taken by the Government for elimination of these rackets?

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI BENI PRASAD VARMA) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d). Necessary information has been furnished in the enclosed statement.

**STATEMENT**

The following cases of illegal diversion of ISD and STD calls have been unearthed in the capital since 1st January, 1996 :-

i) Diversion of STD/ISD telephone number to a private Hotel-cum-Commission Centre in Basti Nizamuddin. The Department suffered a loss of Rs. 1.5 crores.

ii) A private person got installed two telephones in fake names at his residence in Reharpura, Karol Bagh and used the same for making ISD/STD calls. The Department suffered a loss of Rs. 25 lakhs.

iii) A private person in Idgah Exchange got shifted telephone of another private person illegally with the help of a departmental employee and misused the same along with his own telephone for making ISD/STD calls. The Department suffered a loss of 35 lakhs.