# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY DEPARTMENT FOR PROMOTION OF INDUSTRY AND INTERNAL TRADE LOK SABHA

## UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 698. TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, THE $07^{\text{TH}}$ FEBRUARY, 2024. SETTING UP OF NEW INDUSTRIES

#### 698. MS. CHANDRANI MURMU:

Will the Minister of **COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY** be pleased to state: वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री

- (a) whether the Government acknowledges the fact that establishment of any industry helps in the prosperity of the area around it as it generates employment and other business activities:
- (b) if so, the number of Central PSUs that have been established in the last ten years across the country;
- (c) the number of such industries that have been established in Odisha during the same period;
- (d) whether there are plans to set up new industries in Odisha and if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the number of such companies that have been privatised or are in the process of privatisation?

#### **ANSWER**

### वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री सोम प्रकाश) THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY (SHRI SOM PARKASH)

- (a): The CPSEs play an important role in the growth of the Indian economy. Apart from the direct contribution to the economic output of the country, the products and services offered by the CPSEs help in creating a significant downstream impact in the form of generating MSME growth opportunities, creating direct / indirect employment, driving Government's strategic agenda, contributing to the Central Exchequer, technological progress and innovation, etc.
- **(b):** As per Public Enterprises Survey, the number of operating Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs) in 2012-13 was 229 and in 2022-23 is 254.
- (c): The number of CPSEs have been registered in Odisha in 2012-13 was 4 and 2022-23 is 5.
- (d) & (e): CPSEs function under the administrative control of respective Ministries/Departments. Any decision to set up new CPSEs is taken by the sectoral line Ministries/Departments after taking into consideration the needs and commercial viability and any extant policy of the Government. Neelachal Ispat Nigam Limited (NINL) which was incorporated in 1982 and headquartered in Odisha has been privatised.

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