

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STEEL
LOK SABHA**

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PRODUCTION AND EXPORT OF IRON ORE BY NMDC
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Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Iron ore mines under National Mineral Development Corporation (NMDC) Location-wise; and
(b) the total production and the amount earned through export of iron ore by NMDC during the last three years, year wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR STEEL (SHRI BRAJA KISHORE TRIPATHY)

(a) NMDC has the following iron ore mines in operation as on date:

- i) Bailadila iron ore mines - Deposit - 14/11-C at Kirandul, Dantewara district of Chattisgarh State.
ii) Bailadila iron ore mines - Deposit - 5 at Bachel, Dantewara district of Chattisgarh State.
iii) Donimalai iron ore mines at Donimalai, in Bellary district of Karnataka State.

(b) The total production and the amount earned through export of iron ore by NMDC during the last three years are as given below:

Sl.No. Year Quantity Produced (Million Tonnes) Amount earned through export (Approx.)

(Rs. in crores)

1.	1997-98	14.7	527.2
2.	1998-99	11.6	529.8
3.	1999-2000	13.6	488.6