GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ATOMIC ENERGY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3762 ANSWERED ON:13.12.2000 MINING OF URANIUM CHANDRAKANT BHAURAO KHAIRE

Will the Minister of ATOMIC ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is huge uranium deposits at Domiasiat in Meghalaya;
- (b) if so, whether the Uranium Corporation of India Ltd. propose to begin mining of this uranium; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY (SMT. VASUNDHARA RAJE)

- (a) Yes, Sir.
- (b) & (c) Yes, Sir. Uranium Corporation of India Limited (UCIL) proposes to undertake mining at Domiasiat in Meghalaya after a detailed study of all relevant parameters. UCIL is presently in the process of conducting a detailed review of the feasibility report prepared earlier for updating the cost estimates for securing requisite approvals.