

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINES AND MINERALS
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:217
ANSWERED ON:07.08.2000
PRIVATISATION OF HINDUSTAN ZINC LIMITED
BHERU LAL MEENA

Will the Minister of MINES AND MINERALS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have decided to sell the shares of profit making Hindustan Zinc Limited to the multi-national companies;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government propose to reconsider its decision in the national interest; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS, SPORTS AND MINES (SHRI SUKHDEV SINGH DHINDSA)

- (a) No, Sir. No final decision about disinvesting Hindustan Zinc Limited has been taken so far.
- (b) to (d) Do not arise.