

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3571
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CREATION OF CAVITY DUE TO EXTRACTION OF COAL
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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any danger from the cavity created by extraction of coal from the underground mines by various coal companies under the Raj Mahal project;
- (b) if so, the measures taken so far by the various coal companies to fill up this cavity;
- (c) whether an accident in future is likely to have an adverse impact in archaeology; and
- (d) if so, the opinion of the archaeological experts in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL) :

- (a) No, Sir.
- (b) Question does not arise.