

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TRIBAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2346
ANSWERED ON:09.08.2005
ENCROACHMENT BY BALCO
Nayak Shri Ananta

Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Sterlite led BALCO has encroached upon 1036 acres of Government land in the tribal areas at Korba district in Chhattisgarh; and

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the steps taken to get this land evicted?

Answer

MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI P.R. KYNDIAH)

(a)& (b): The information is being collected from the Government of Chhattisgarh.