

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2380  
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NEW PROJECTS OF COAL  
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**Will the Minister of COAL AND MINES be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of new projects of coal sanctioned during the Ninth Five Year Plan and the number of projects started during the plan period;
- (b) whether the Government has decided to open new coal mines during the Tenth Five Year Plan;
- (c) if so, the State-wise details thereof;
- (d) the details of funds to be invested in the coal sector during the Tenth Five Year Plan?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COAL AND MINES (Dr. DASARI NARAYANA RAO)

(a) The details of new projects of Coal India Limited (CIL) sanctioned and started during the Ninth Five Year Plan are given below :

S.No	Company projects sanctioned/ Started	No. of (Rs. Crs.)		Capital cost (Mty)		Capacity	
		Open cast	Under ground	Open cast	Under ground	Open cast	Under ground
1.	Bharat Coking Coal Ltd (BCCL)	2	2	59.08	9.77	1.06	0.2 1
2.	Central Coalfields Limited (CCL)		2	-	176.14	-	2.20 -
3.	Northern Coalfields Limited (NCL)		3	-	1943.56	-	10.50 -
4.	Western Coalfields Limited (WCL)		7	7	434.02	243.36	3.27 2.23
5.	South Eastern Coalfields Limited (SECL)	1	9	23.92	368.48	0.32	3.83
6.	Mahanadi Coalfields Limited (MCL)		2	2	68.32	172.86	2.35 1.31
	Total CIL	17	20	2705.04	794.47	19.70	7.58

In Singareni Collieries Company Limited (SCCL), 14 projects had been sanctioned during the Ninth Five Year Plan, out of which 9 projects had commenced during the same period.

(b) 99 coal projects of CIL and 19 projects of SCCL have been identified to be taken up during the Tenth Five Year Plan.

(c) The State-wise break up of projects identified to be taken up during Tenth Five Year Plan period is given below :

Sl.No.	State	No. of projects
1	West Bengal	15
2	Jharkhand	18
3	Uttar Pradesh	5
4	Madhya Pradesh	9
5	Maharashtra	20
6	Chhatishgarh	13
7	Orissa	19
8.	Andhra Pradesh	19
Total		118

(d): The details of fund to be invested during the Tenth Five Year Plan are given below :-

Company	Capital outlay as per X Plan documents (in Rs, crores)	Revised Fund requirement after reprioritization of projects ( in Rs. Cr.)
ECL#	1460.00	1437.96
BCCL	1300.00	1300.00
CCL	1250.00	1250.00
NCL	2750.00	3700.00
WCL	1435.00	1000.01
SECL	3520.00	2320.73
MCL	2500.00	2500.00
Others##	95.00	95.00
Total - CIL	14310.00	13603.70
Total - SCCL	2113.00	2113.00
Grand Total	16423.00	15716.70

# ECL - Eastern Coalfields Limited

## (North Eastern Coalfields/CIL/Dankuni Coal Complex/Indian Institute of Coal Management/Coal Mines Planning & Design Institute Limited/Research & Development)