GOVERNMENT OF INDIA STEEL LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3124 ANSWERED ON:20.03.2008 ACCIDENT IN BSP Khaire Shri Chandrakant Bhaurao

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) whether any accident (Fire) took place recently at Bokaro Steel Plant (BSP);

(b) if so, the details of human loss and capital damage caused thereby;

(c) whether any enquiry committee has been set up to enquire into the matter;

(d) if so, whether the committee has submitted its recommendations;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) the remedial steps taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (DR. AKHILESH DAS)

(a)&(b): Yes, Sir. Fire incidence occurred in the Tandem Mill - 1 of the Cold Rolling Mill on 02.09.2007 and 12.09.2007. There was no human loss involved in these incidents. The capital loss due to fire as these two dates is estimated at Rs. 51,77,250/- and Rs.1,19,00,000/- respectively.

(c)&(d): Yes, Sir. A High level enquiry committee was set up to enquire into the matter and the Committee has given its recommendations.

(e)&(f): The details of the recommendations of the Enquiry Committee and the remedial steps taken in compliance are enclosed as Annexure.