

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STEEL
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:658
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SALE OF STEEL FROM VSP
Lagadapati Shri Rajagopal

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of sales of various types of steel from Vishakhapatnam Steel Plant during the last three years and the current year, month-wise and type-wise;
- (b) whether there is a drastic fall in the sale of various types of steel from the said Steel Plant during the last few months;
- (c) if so, the reasons thereof;
- (d) whether suspension of long-term contract has anything to do with the reduction in sales;and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (SHRI A. SAI PRATHAP)

- (a): The details of sales of various types of steel products, month-wise of RINL-VSP in the last three years and the current year upto October, 2010 are given in the Annexure.
- (b)&(c): No, Madam.
- (d)&(e): Lack of long term contracts did not have any adverse impact on the sales of RINL- VSP.