

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2564  
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NAVRATNA PSUS  
Pangi Shri Jayaram

**Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) accorded Navratna Status as on date;
- (b) the criteria adopted for according Navratna status;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to give Navratna status to some other PSUs;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether the Government has also received requests from PSUs for according Navratna status; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI ARUN YADAV)

- (a) : Presently, there are 16 Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs) having Navratna status.
- (b) : The Schedule 'A' and Miniratna Category – I CPSEs, which have obtained 'excellent' or 'very good' rating under the Memorandum of Understanding system in three of last five years, and have composite score of 60 or above in six selected performance parameters are eligible to be considered for grant of Navratna status.
- (c) to (f) : The proposal for grant of Navratna status to Neyveli Lignite Corporation Limited is under consideration of the Government.