

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
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COAL MINING BY PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTORS
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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) the break-up of share of public sector and private sector in the coal mining work;
- (b) whether some of the public sector companies, engaged in coal mining, are incurring losses while private companies are earning profits;
- (c) if so, the reasons identified in this regard; and
- (d) the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL(SHRI PRATIK PRAKASHBAPU PATIL)

- (a): During the year 2010-11, out of total all India coal production of 533.076 million tonnes (Provisional), the share of public sector was 485.063 million tonnes (Provisional) & that of private sector was 48.013 million tonnes (Provisional).
- (b): M/s Coal India Limited (CIL) alongwith its subsidiary companies as well as M/s Singareni Collieries Company Limited (SCCL) earned profit during 2010-11.
- (c & d): Does not arise in view of (b) above.