

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
LOK SABHA**

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EXPORT/IMPORT OF COAL

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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the export and import of coal during the last three years and the current year, country-wise, quantity-wise and year-wise including the price of the exported/imported coal;
- (b) whether any State Government has sought permission from the Union Government to import coal for power plants in their State including Maharashtra;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the present status of the requests of the State Government; and
- (d) the details of the percentage of ash contents in domestic and imported coal?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL AND MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE STATISTICS & PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

- (a) The Details of the Export and import of coal during the last three years and the current year, country-wise, quantity-wise and year-wise including the price of the exported/imported coal are given at Annexure-I.