

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COAL  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3200  
ANSWERED ON:09.12.2009  
JWG OF INDIA AND INDONESIA  
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**Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of Joint Working Group (JWG) of India and Indonesia and the progress achieved as a result thereof; and
- (b) the benefits likely to be accrued to the country from such JWG?

**Answer**

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

(a) & (b): A delegation from Indonesia under the leadership of Minister of Energy & Mineral Resources of Indonesia met Minister of State (Independent Charge) for Coal and Statistics & Programme Implementation on 07.09.2009 wherein it was proposed to constitute a Joint Coal Working Group between the two countries for mutual cooperation and advancement in Energy Sector.