

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

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PERFORMANCE OF HNL
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Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of financial performance of the Hindustan Newsprint Limited (HNL) for the last one year;
- (b) whether the Government has any plan for disinvestment of HNL at Kottayam, Kerala; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

- (a): During the financial year 2012-13, Hindustan Newsprint Limited (HNL), achieved a production of 103282 MT, which is 103.2% of the installed capacity. The sales turnover during the year 2012-13 was Rs. 323.58 crore. The company has incurred a loss of Rs. 18.17 crore.
- (b): No, Madam.
- (c): Does not arise.