

Title: Need for early revival of the Hindustan Fertilizer Corporation Limited, Haldia Division, and West Bengal-laid.

SHRI SUVENDU ADHIKARI (TAMLUK): I would like to draw the kind attention of the Hon'ble Minister of Chemicals and Fertilizers towards the Hindustan Fertilizer Corporation Limited, Haldia Division situated in my Parliamentary constituency. This industry started functioning in 1979. The company manufactured Ammonia, Methanel, Urea, Nitric Acid, Sulphuric Acid etc. during the period from 1983-1986. However, the Government issued a closure notice in 2002. The total number of employees rendered jobless were 1314.

This factory has huge potential. The concerned Ministry should take up the matter very seriously. The whole HFCL including Haldia Division was referred to BIFR in 1992.

I would request the Hon'ble Minister to look into the matter on priority basis so that this valuable industry can start its operation immediately.