GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COAL

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1671 TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.2.2019

Functional Coal Mines

1671. SHRIMATI SUPRIYA SULE: SHRI SATAV RAJEEV: DR. HEENA VIJAYKUMAR GAVIT: DR. J. JAYAVARDHAN: SHRI MOHITE PATIL VIJAYSINH SHANKARRAO: SHRI DHANANJAY MAHADIK:

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of functional and non-functional underground and opencast coal mines in the country, location and Statewise;
- (b) the quantity of coal extracted from the functional coal mines during the last three years and the current year and the details of revenue earned by the Government from these mines;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to revive the non-functional mines and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to open new coal mines and or start mining in some new coal blocks during the current year and the Twelfth Five Year Plan period; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof, mine/ location/State-wise along with the names of the companies, public and private, to whom these mines are likely to be assigned for development?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF FINANCE, RAILWAYS, COAL AND CORPORATE AFFAIRS (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (e): Information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the house.