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Office Memorandum

Subject: - Monthly Summary for the Cabinet for the month of May, 2016 in respect of Ministry of Coal.

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Monthly Summary for Cabinet for the month of May, 2016 in respect of Ministry of Coal.**A. Principal Activities**

The core objectives of the Ministry of Coal are to augment coal production by adopting state-of-the-art clean-coal technologies; enhancing exploration efforts with thrust on increasing proven coal resources and developing necessary infrastructure for prompt evacuation of coal for securing its availability to meet the demand of different sectors of the economy in an eco-friendly and sustainable manner.

B. Important decisions taken during May, 2016

In accordance with Rule 8 (2) (a) (ii) of the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Rules, 2014 made under the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Act, 2015, directions have been issued to the O/o Nominated Authority for conducting allotment of 5 coal mines viz. Amarkonda Murgadangal, Ashok Karkatta, Latehar, Mahuagarhi and Madanpur (North), for the specified end use 'Power'.

2. Under the provisions of the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Act, 2015, Allotment Orders have been issued to M/s Neyveli Lignite Corporation Limited, M/s NALCO Ltd. and M/s The West Bengal Power Development Corporation Limited for Talabira II & III on 02.05.2016, Utkal D & E on 02.05.2016 and Kasta East on 16.05.2016, respectively.

3. Further, an amount of Rs 210,33,66,174/- (Rs. two hundred ten crore thirty three lakh sixty six thousand one hundred seventy four only) has been transferred to coal bearing States viz. Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand, Maharashtra, Odisha & West Bengal on account of the Upfront Payment received from the successful allocattees under the provisions of the Coal Mine (Special Provisions) Act, 2015. With this, the total amount transferred so far on account of Upfront and monthly payments made by the allocattees to coal bearing States is Rs. 2116,49,50,576/- (Rs two thousand one hundred and sixteen crore forty nine lakhs fifty thousand five hundred seventy six only), out of which Rs 1877,73,09,310/- (Rs one thousand eight hundred seventy seven crore seventy three lakh Nine thousand three hundred ten only) were transferred by O/o Nominated Authority and Rs 238,76,41,266/- (Rs two hundred and thirty eight crore seventy six lakh forty one thousand two hundred sixty six only) were transferred by the allocattees directly to the respective coal bearing states.

4. Also, an amount of Rs 677,68,34,011/- (Rs six hundred seventy seven crore sixty eight lakh thirty four thousand eleven only) towards the cost of Geological Report and cost of consents was transferred to Commissioner of Payments for further disbursement to the prior allottees under the provisions of the Coal Mine (Special Provisions) Act, 2015.

5. Further, under Section 11 A of the Mines and Minerals (Development & Regulation) Act, 1957, Lignite Block Development and Production Agreement was signed on 31.05.2016 with Gujarat Mineral Development Corporation Limited (GMDC) in respect of Panandhro Extn. Lignite Block.

C. Report on Progress: Details of progress in coal production, dispatch, e-auction of Coal viz-a viz target for the month of May, 2016 in given below-

1. (a) Coal production**(in million tonnes)**

Company	May.2016		% Achievement	April-May.2016		% Achievement
	Target	Actual		Target	Actual	
CIL	44.639	42.584	95%	89.119	82.929	93%
SCCL	5.038	4.905	97%	9.979	9.350	94%

(b) Overall coal dispatch**(in million tonnes)**

Company	May.2016	May.2015	% Growth	April-May.2016	April-May.2015	% Growth
CIL	45.530	43.799	4.0%	88.234	87.323	1.0%
SCCL	4.910	4.894	0.3%	9.548	9.496	0.5%

(c) Coal dispatch to Power sector

Company	(in million tonnes)					
	May.2016	May.2015	% Growth	April-May.2016	April-May.2015	% Growth
CIL	33.365	33.124	0.7%	65.335	66.311	-1.5%
SCCL	4.132	3.994	3.5%	7.986	7.512	6.3%

(d) Spot E-auction of coal

Company	(in million tonnes)					
	Coal Qty. Allocated May.2016	Coal Qty. Allocated May.2015	Increase over notified price	Coal Qty. Allocated Apr-May.2016	Coal Qty. Allocated Apr-May.2015	Increase over notified price
CIL	3.658	4.433	20.22%	9.275	10.155	21.39%

(e) Special Forward E-auction for Power

Company	(in million tonnes)			
	Coal Qty. Allocated May.2016	Increase over notified price	Coal Qty. Allocated April-May.2016	Increase over notified price
CIL	-	-	33.140	27.20%

2. **Performance of Neyveli Lignite Corporation Limited in May, 2016.**

S. No	Product & Unit	Target May, 2016	Actual May, 2016	Actual May, 2015	% variation Target May, 2016	% variation of actual of May, 2016
1.	Overburden (LM ³)	142.80	160.08	151.76	12.10	5.48
2.	Lignite (LT)	11.35	14.12	17.67	24.41	-20.09
3.	Power Gross (MU)	2002.18	1648.56	1822.23	-17.66	-9.53
4.	Power Export (MU)	1711.24	1381.67	1537.42	-19.26	-10.13

3. **Promotional and Detailed drilling**

Promotional Drilling: In Annual Plan 2016-17, a target of 1.75 lakh metre of Promotional drilling (0.90 lakh metre in coal and 0.85 lakh metre in lignite) had been envisaged. During the year 2016-17, the achievement of drilling upto the month of May, 2016 is 0.13 lakh metre against the target of 0.23 lakh metre.

Overall Progress of Detailed Drilling in 2015-16 For Annual Plan 2016-17, a target of 11.0 lakh metre of drilling (Departmental: 4.0 lakh metre, Outsourcing: 7.0 lakh metre) had been envisaged. As against this, 1.54 lakh metre of drilling has been carried out upto the month of May, 2016.

4. **Specific steps under taken by the Ministry/Department for utilization of the Space Technology based tools and applications in Government and Development.**

The following three projects have been identified for use of Space Technology in CIL

- (i) Air pollution monitoring.
- (ii) Coal fire mapping and subsidence mapping.
- (iii) Capacity building in CMPDIL for SAR interferometry towards fire and subsidence mapping.
