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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Monthly Summary for the Cabinet for the month of March, 2021 in respect of Ministry of Coal.

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith unclassified portion of the Monthly Summary of the Ministry of Coal for the month of March, 2021 and to convey that the same has been uploaded on the website of this Ministry i.e. www.coal.nic.in. This is for kind information.

This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

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Monthly Summary for the Cabinet for the month of March, 2021 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 achievements

- 14th Meeting of Scrutiny Committee was held on 09/10.03.2021 to consider the submissions made by the Successful Allocattees of the coal mines allocated under CM (SP) Act, 2015 in respect of deviation from the Efficiency Parameter as mentioned in Coal Mine Development and Production Agreement/ Allotment Agreement.
- Production in the month of March, 2021 from mines allocated under CM (SP) Act, 2015 5.221 is MT.
- Revenue in the month of March, 2021 from mines allocated under CM (SP) Act, 2015 is Rs. 69.216 Crore
- Direction of the Central Government has been issued on 16.03.2021 to Nominated Authority for conducting e-auction of 24 coal mines for sale of coal under the provisions of CM (SP) Act, 2015
- The coal controller organization has reported that the total production of coal from the allocated captive coal blocks for the month of March, 2021 is 6.417 Million Tonnes (Prov.), out of which aggregate coal production of those coal blocks which have not been cancelled by the Hon'ble Supreme court viz. Moher & Moher Amlori Extn. (1.662 MT), Tasra (0.000 MT) and Pakri Barwadih(0.732 MT) is 2.394 Million Tonnes (Prov.)
- Land acquired under CBA (A&D) Act, 1957

Sl.	Notification issued	Remarks				
No.						
i.	u/s 4(1) of CBA (A&D) Act, 1957 one notifications has been	767.775 Ha land for prospecting.				
	issued in favour of ECL for Amarkanda (extension of coal					
	mining block) Distt. Dumka, Jharkhand.					
ii.	u/s 9(1) of CBA (A&D) Act, 1957 three notifications has been	1114.042 Ha. (714.855+3.229				
	issued in favour of NUPPL for Pachwara South Coal Blcok,	+395.958)Ha. land acquired.				
	distt. Dumka, Jharkhand, (2) CCL for Gidi 'A' Expansion	_				
	OCP, Distt. Hazaribagh and NCL for Extension geological					
	blocks, Distt. Singrauli, MP.					

C. <u>Report on Progress</u>: Details of progress in coal production, dispatch, e-auction of Coal viz-a viz target for the month of March, 2021 is given below-

(a) COAL PRODUCTION

(Figs.In MT)

Company	March, 2021	March, 2020	% Growth	April- March 2021	April- March 2020	% Growth
CIL	81.15	84.38	-4%	596.25	602.14	-1%
SCCL	6.38	5.92	7.8%	50.58	64.02	-21.0%

(b) OVERALL OFFTAKE

Company	March, 2021	March, 2020	% Growth	April- March 2021	April- March 2020	% Growth
CIL	59.74	53.40	12%	573.80	581.41	-1%
SCCL	5.92	5.03	17.7%	48.51	62.47	-22.3%

(c) COAL DESPATCH TO POWER (COAL AND COAL PRODUCTS)

Company	March, 2021	March, 2020	% Growth	April- March 2021	April- March 2020	% Growth
CIL	47.59	43.74	9%	445.69	465.72	-4%
SCCL	4.93	4.35	13.3%	40.90	52.92	-22.7%

• The outstanding dues payable by Power Sector to CIL as on 31.03.2021 was Rs. 20,564.48 crore.

(d) SPOT E-AUCTION OF COAL

Company	Coal Qty. Allocated March, 2021	Coal Qty. Allocated March, 2020	Increase over notified price	Coal Qty. Allocated April-March, 2021	Coal Qty. Allocated April- March, 2020	Increase over notified price
CIL	5.30	2.53	24%	42.51	29.83	25%

(e) SPECIAL FORWARD E-AUCTION FOR POWER

Company	Coal Qty.	Coal Qty.	Increase	Coal Qty.	Coal Qty.	Increase
	Allocated	Allocated	over	Allocated	Allocated	over
	March, 2021	March, 2020	notified	April-March,	April-	notified
			price	2021	March, 2020	price
CIL	6.31	0.89	9%	39.33	27.12	8%

(f) EXCLUSIVE E-AUCTION FOR NON-POWER

Company	Coal Qty.	Coal Qty.	Increase	Coal Qty.	Coal Qty.	Increase
	Allocated	Allocated	over	Allocated	Allocated	over
	March, 2021	March, 2020	notified	April-March,	April-March,	notified
			price	2021	2020	price
CIL	5.48	0.00	20%	31.23	8.03	13%

(g) SPECIAL SPOT E-AUCTION

Company	Coal Qty. Allocated March, 2021	Coal Qty. Allocated March, 2020	Increase over notified price	Coal Qty. Allocated April-March, 2021	Coal Qty. Allocated April-March, 2020	Increase over notified price
CIL	1.08	0.08	12%	3.45	1.04	13%

(h)SPECIAL SPOT E-AUCTION FOR COAL IMPORTERS

Company	Coal Qty.	Coal Qty.	Increase	Coal Qty.	Coal Qty.	Increase
	Allocated	Allocated	over	Allocated	Allocated	over
	March, 2021	March,	notified	April-March,	April-March,	notified
		2020	price	2021	2020	price
CIL	0.00	0.00	-	7.53	-	18%

(i) Implementation Status of Power Sector Linkage Policy (SHAKTI) dated 22.05.2017 and amended SHAKTI

Sl. No.	Activity	Timeline/Status
A(i)	Sign FSA with pending LoA holders	Clearance given to Coal India Limited (CIL) to sign FSA with 9 LoA Holders having total commissioned capacity of 7210 MW.
B(i)	Linkages to State/Central PSUs	As on date, 23 TPPs have been granted linkage for a total capacity of 25340 MW.
(ii)	Linkages for IPPs having PPA based on domestic coal	 First round of linkage auction conducted in September, 2017. Linkage booked by 10 plants of 9044 MW capacity for 27.18 MT quantity. FSAs have been executed with all the successful bidders.
	Amended B (ii) (i)	 2nd round of SHAKTI B (ii) linkage auction concluded on May, 2019. Quantity of 2.97 MTPA booked by 8 bidders for a total capacity of 874.9 MW.
	Amended B (ii) (ii)	PFCCL/Ministry of Power authorized to conduct future auctions. Auction has been conducted by PFCCL during May, 2020. 2.8 MTPA linkages have been booked by 5 successful bidders.
(iii)	Linkages for IPPs without PPA	 The linkage auction for SHAKTI B (iii) long/medium term was conducted in February, 2020. Out of the total offer of 11.8 MTPA, 6.5 MTPA was booked by 7 successful bidders. The average premium gained was 8.5%.
(iv)	Earmarking Linkages to States for fresh PPAs	Coal linkage granted from Coal India Limited for the States of Gujarat, Uttar Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh for a capacity of 4000 MW, 1600 MW and 2640 MW respectively.
(v)	Power aggregate of group of States	 Coal linkage earmarked from Coal India Limited for a capacity of 2500 MW. Methodology under B (v) is to be formulated by Ministry of Power. Bidding under SHAKTI B (v) is to be conducted by Ministry of Power.
(vi)	Linkages to SPV for setting up of UMPP	SBD under formulation by Ministry of Power.
(vii)	Linkages to IPPs having PPA based on imported coal.	IMC submitted its recommendation.
(viii)	(a) Short term linkage coal	 Auction for April – June, 2020 was completed on 19.03.2020. Out of 5.77 MT of coal offered by CIL, 1.34 MT was booked by 9 successful bidders at notified price. Auction for July - September, 2020 was completed on 13.07.2020. Out of 4.91 MT of coal offered by CIL, 0.63 MT coal was booked by 8 successful bidders at notified price. Auction for October - December, 2020 has been completed on 15.09.2020. Out of the 5.89 MT offered by CIL, 0.35 MT coal has been booked by 6 successful bidders at notified price. Auction for January - March, 2021 has been completed on 21.12.2020. Out of the 5.97 MT offered by CIL, 0.64 MT coal has been booked by 7 successful bidders at notified price. Auction for April - June, 2021 has been completed on 16.03.2021. Out of the 4.99 MT offered by CIL, 1.07 MT coal has been booked by 8 successful bidders at notified price.

(b) Coal supply in case of termination of PPAs due to payment default by DISCOMs	
(c) Aggregation of Power by Nodal Agency under Para B (v) for a group of States even without requisition.	No action required from Ministry of Coal.
(d) PSU to act as an aggregator of Power	Vide O.M. dated 17.05.2019 and subsequent reminder dated 29.05.2019, Ministry of Power was requested to communicate the same.
(e) Mechanism to ensure servicing of debt	Ministry of Power vide O.M dated 05.08.2019 and 20.08.2019 has communicated the mechanism prepared in this regard.

D. Performance of NLC India Limited in March, 2021

	Unit	Mar	r-21	Mar-20	% Varia	tion wrt	April 20	- March 1	April 19 - March 2020	% Varia	tion wrt
		Target	Actual	Actual	Col 4 / Col 3	Col 4 / Col 5	Target	Actual	Actual	Col. 9 / Col. 8	Col. 9 / Col. 10
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Overburden	LM ³	152.80	155.88	129.62	2.02	20.26	1681.00	1452.61	1604.40	-13.59	-9.46
Lignite	LT	28.15	30.77	23.46	9.31	31.16	252.17	192.62	248.64	-23.62	-22.53
Coal Talabira OCP OB	LM ³	1.89	3.32	3.39	75.66		18.63	48.96	6.87	162.80	
Coal Talabira OCP Lig	LT	1.12	3.01	0.00	168.75		9.37	10.13	0.00	8.11	
Power Gross From											
TPS	MU	2228.00	1852.20	1856.05	-16.87	-0.21	23635.00	17260.26	20436.95	-26.97	-15.54
Wind Power Plant	MU	1.69	0.92	1.49	-45.56	-38.26	114.00	96.91	84.61	-14.99	14.54
Solar Power Plant	MU	193.64	204.21	179.67	5.46	13.66	2027.64	1964.78	1401.42	-3.10	40.20
Grand Total Gross	MU	2423.33	2057.33	2037.21	-15.10	0.99	25776.64	19321.95	21922.98	-25.04	-11.86
Power Export From											

TPS	MU	1963.00	1594.78	1598.83	-18.76	-0.25	20784.00	14663.79	17359.76	-29.45	-15.53
Wind Power Plant	MU	1.69	0.86	1.27	-49.05	-32.20	114.00	94.52	81.18	-17.08	16.44
Solar Power Plant	MU	193.49	204.04	179.52	5.45	13.66	2026.06	1963.34	1399.90	-3.10	40.25
Grand Total Export	MU	2158.18	1799.68	1779.62	-16.61	1.13	22924.06	16721.66	18840.84	-27.06	-11.25

Promotional Drilling: A programme of Promotional/NMET (Regional) drilling comprising 0.75 lakh meters in coal and 0.25 lakh meters in lignite has been drawn up in Annual Plan 2020-21 of CMPDI. The programme is under execution by MECL, DGMs of Nagaland & Assam and CMPDI.

As against this, the achievement of drilling upto the month of March, 2021 is 1.36 lakh metre, against the target of 1.00 lakh metre, which is 136% of the target.

Overall Progress of Detailed Drilling in 2020-21: For 2020-21, a target of 11.00 lakh metre of drilling (Departmental: 4.88 lakh metre, Outsourcing: 6.12 lakh metre) has been envisaged. As against this, 12.48 lakh metre of drilling has been carried out upto the month of March, 2021 against the target of 11.00 lakh metre, which is 113% of the target..
