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Office Memorandum

Subject: - Monthly Summary for the Cabinet for the month of February, 2015 in respect of Ministry of Coal.

The undersigned is directed to say that the unclassified portion of the Monthly Summary of the Ministry of Coal for the month of February, 2015 has been uploaded on the website of this Ministry i.e. www.coal.nic.in. This is for kind information.

2. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

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Monthly Summary for Cabinet for the month of February, 2015 in respect of Ministry of Coal.

1. (a) Coal Production

Company	Feb,	2015	% Achievement	Apr- Feb.2015		(in million tonnes) % Achievement
	Target	Actual		Target	Actual	Target
CIL	46.579	47.977	103%	450.135	436,960	97%
SCCL	5.034	5.367	107%	49.710	45.949	92%

(b) (i) Overall Coal Dispatch

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Company	Feb, 2015	Feb, 2014	% Growth	Apr- Feb,2015	Apr- Feb,2014	% Growth
CIL	43.168	40.436	6.8%	441.850	426,705	3.5%
SCCL	4.517	4.173	8.2%	47.484	43.010	10.4%

(ii) Coal dispatches to Power Sector

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Company	Feb, 2015	Feb, 2014	% Growth	Apr- Feb, 2015	Apr- Feb, 2014	% Growth
CIL	32.382	30.783	5.2%	347.677	320.553	8.5%
SCCL	3.424	3.149	8.7%	35.034	30.572	14.6%

(c) Spot e-auction of coal

Company	Coal Qty. Allocated Feb, 2015	Coal Qty. Allocated Feb, 2014	Increase Over notified price	Coal Qty. Allocated April- Feb, 2015	Coal Qty. Allocated April- Feb, 2014	(in million tonnes Increase Over notified price
CIL	6.187	6.217	59.31%	39.842	52.932	64.29%

(d) Forward e-auction of coal

Company	Coal Qty. Allocated Feb, 2015	Coal Qty. Allocated Feb, 2014	Increase Over notified price	Coal Qty. Allocated April- Feb,2015	Coal Qty. Allocated April- Feb, 2014	(in million tonnes Increase Over notified price
CIL	0.000	0.031		0.994	3,186	17.57%

- (e) The Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Second Ordinance, 2014
- 1. The Hon'ble Supreme Court, vide its judgment/order dated 25.08.2014 and 24.09.2014, in Writ Petition (Criminal) No. 120 of 2012 and other connected matters, has cancelled the allocation of 204 coal blocks out of 218 coal blocks allocated since 1993.
- 2. In light of the judgment and order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court, it was considered expedient in public interest by the Central Government to take immediate action so as to ensure energy security of the country and to minimize and impact on core sectors such as steel, cement and power utilities, which are vital for development of the nation. As Parliament was not in session and immediate action was required to be taken by the Central Government to implement the said order and to address the above objectives, the Ordinance namely, the Coal Mines Special Provisions) Ordinance, 2014 was promulgated on 21.10.2014 under article 123 of the Constitution of India
- 3. In order to replace the Ordinance, the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Bill, 2014 with certain modifications, was introduced in the winter session of the Lok Sabha, which was considered and passed by the Lok Sabha on 12.12.2014. The said Bill was transmitted to Rajya Sabha for condideration and passing on 18.12.2014, however it could not be taken up for consideration and passing in the Rajya Sabha.
- 4. In pursuance of the said Ordinance action has been initiated by the Central Government including the framing the rules for allocation of coal mines. As it was considered necessary to give continuity to the provision of the said Ordinance and save the actions taken there under. Since, the Parliament was not in session and the said Ordinance would cease to operate w.e.f. 05.01.2015, the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Second Ordinance, 2014 was promulgated on 26.12.2014.
- 5. On reassembly of Parliament, notices have been sent to Rajya Sabha on 5.02.2015 for withdrawal of the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Bill, 2014 pending in Rajya Sabha and to the Lok Sabha on 16.02.2015 for introduction of a fresh Bill to replace the Second Ordinance.

2. The monthly and progressive Plan Expenditure of Coal Companies for and up to the month of February, 2015 is as under:-

('in Crore)

Company	Total Plan Outlay for the year 2014-15 (BE)	Target expenditure Feb , 2015	and the second second second second	% of Actual Expenditure to plan outlay for the month of Feb, 2015		Cumulative expenditure up to the month of Feb, 2015 (Prov.)	% of Actual Cumulative Expenditure to plan outlay up to Feb, 2015
CIL	5225.00	550.14	381.50	69	4595.53	3517.28	77
SCCL	3850.00	350.26	346.09	99	3499.74	2495.74	71
NLC	2936.00	273.28	169.39	62	2314.62	1483.34	64
Total	12011.00	1173.68	896.98	76	10409.89	7496.36	72

3. Performance of Neyveli Lignite Corporation Limited during February, 2015.

S. No	Product & Unit	Target Feb, 2015	Actual Feb, 2015	Actual Feb, 2014	% variation Target Feb, 2015	% variation of actual of Feb, 2015 w.r.t. Actual Feb, 2014
1.	Overburden LM ³	135.50	153.12	145.02	13.00	5.59
2.	Lignite (LT)	22.00	27.05	25.33	22.95	6.79
3.	Power Gen.Gross(MU)	1817.55	1755.64	1744.52	-3.41	0.64
4.	Power Export (MU)	1533.55	1491.64	1489.06	-2.73	0.17
