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Office Memorandum

Subject: Monthly Summary for the Cabinet for the month of July, 2017 in respect of Ministry of Coal.

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Monthly Summary for the Cabinet for the month of July, 2017 in respect of Ministry of CoalA. 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 July, 2017

The Ministry is formulating a policy for auction of coal blocks for sale of coal under the provisions of Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Act, 2015.

C. Report on Progress: Details of progress in coal production, dispatch, e-auction of Coal viz-a viz target for the month of July, 2017 is given below-

1. (a) Coal production

Company	July, 2017		% Achievement	April- July, 2017		% Achievement
	Target	Actual		Target	Actual	
CIL	41.5	36.6	88.3%	183.1	155.5	84.9%
SCCL	4.5	4.4	96.8%	20.3	18.7	92.2%

(b) Overall coal dispatch

Company	July, 2017	July, 2016	% Growth	April- July, 2017	April- July, 2016	% Growth
	CIL	44.3	41.4	7.2%	181.7	174.6
SCCL	4.9	4.0	21.8%	20.4	18.0	13.5%

(c) Coal dispatch to Power Sector

Company	July, 2017	July, 2016	% Growth	April- July, 2017	April- July, 2016	% Growth
	CIL	31.1	31.3	-0.6%	137.0	134.7
SCCL	4.1	3.5	18.0%	17.1	15.3	11.3%

(d) Spot E-auction of coal

Company	Coal Qty. Allocated July, 2017	Coal Qty. Allocated July, 2016	Increase over notified price	Coal Qty. Allocated April- July, 2017	Coal Qty. Allocated April- July, 2016	Increase over notified price
	CIL	3.88	3.93	47.0%	13.57	16.35

(e) Special Forward E-auction for Power

Company	Coal Qty. Allocated July, 2017	Coal Qty. Allocated July, 2016	Increase over notified price	Coal Qty. Allocated April- July, 2017	Coal Qty. Allocated April- July, 2016	Increase over notified price
	CIL	1.64	0.00	12.0%	20.03	12.45

(f) Exclusive E-auction for Non-Power

Company	Coal Qty. Allocated July, 2017	Coal Qty. Allocated July, 2016	Increase over notified price	Coal Qty. Allocated April- July, 2017	Coal Qty. Allocated April- July, 2016	Increase over notified price
	CIL	0.84	0.00	9.0%	5.16	0.00

(g) Special Spot E-Auction

Company	Allocated July, 2017	Allocated July, 2016	Over notified price	Allocated April- July, 2017	Allocated April- July, 2016	over notified price
CIL	0.00	0.00	-	0.35	0.00	20.0%

A policy on coal linkages allocation for Power Sector has been issued on 22.05.2017 with the approval of Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs. Thereafter a meeting was convened to finalize the implementation strategy. As a follow up action, an IMC was constituted under Chairmanship of Additional Secretary (Coal) for formulating the methodology for auction of linkages to IPPs having PPA based on domestic coal and also for those having PPA based on imported coal. With the approval of Hon'ble MoS (IC) for Coal, the methodology for auction of linkages for IPPs having PPA based on domestic coal was issued on 12.06.2017. Standing Linkage Committee in its meeting held on 29.06.2017 recommended coal linkages to 4 Central Government PSUs based on recommendation of Ministry of Power. Coal supply to Thermal power plants which were part of 68,000 MW has started, wherever the plants have been commissioned.

Action Plan and Progress on implementation of Power Sector linkage policy:

Sl. No.	Policy Guidelines	Status & Timeline
A(i)	To sign FSA with pending LoA holders.	Commissioning status received from CEA and has been sent to CIL. FSA to be signed in August 2017.
(ii)	Closure of pending applications for LoA.	Notice has been updated on MoC website and sent to DAVP for circulation in newspapers.
(iii)	Continuation of coal supply to 68,000 MW @75% of ACQ	Implemented
(iv)	Coal supply to 19,000 MW (out of 68,000 MW) which could not be commissioned by 31.03.2015	Implemented; coal supply started for commissioned plants.
(v)	Eligibility to draw coal for medium term PPAs	Implemented; Coal companies enabled to supply coal by policy letter dated 22.05.2017
B(i)	Linkages to State/Central PSUs	SLC (LT) on 29.06.2017, recommended linkages for all 4 cases of Central PSUs.
(ii)	Linkages for IPPs having PPA based on domestic coal	CIL obtained Board approval of the methodology on 19.07.2017 Auction process to start in August 2017
(iii)	Linkages for IPPs without PPA	Auction process to start in August 2017
(iv)	Earmarking Linkages to States for fresh PPAs	Policy guidelines to be framed by Ministry of Power
(v)	Earmarking of linkage for aggregated Power requirement of group of States	Methodology to be formulated by Ministry of Power
(vi)	Linkages to SPV for setting up of UMPP	Recommendation to be received from Ministry of Power
(vii)	Linkages to IPPs having PPA based on imported coal (without adversely impacting the coal availability to other domestic coal based plants)	IMC constituted for framing methodology IMC meetings held on 07.07.2017, 26.07.2017 & 04.08.2017.

Performance of NLC India Limited in July, 2017.

S. No	Product & Unit	Target July, 2017	Actual July, 2017	Actual July, 2016	% variation of Actual with Target July, 2017	% variation of actual in July, 2016 compared to July, 2017
1.	Overburden (LM ³)	146.55	173.64	172.80	18.49	0.49
2.	Lignite (LT)	26.00	8.56	19.50	-67.08	-56.10
3.	Power Gross (MU)	1732.84	1692.70	1699.11	-2.32	-0.38
4.	Power Generation (MU)	1465.84	1413.52	1417.29	-3.57	-0.27

2. Promotional and Detailed drilling

Promotional Drilling: : In Annual Plan 2017-18, a target of 1.75 lakh meter of Promotional drilling (0.90 lakh meter in coal and 0.85 lakh meter in lignite) had been envisaged. As against this, the achievement of drilling upto the month of July, 2017 is 0.40 lakh meter, against the target of 0.45 lakh meter.

Overall Progress of Detailed Drilling in 2017-18: For 2017-18, a target of 12.50 lakh meter of drilling (Departmental: 4.75 lakh mete, Outsourcing: 7.75 lakh meter) has been envisaged. As against this, 4.57 lakh meter of drilling has been carried out upto the month of July, 2017.
