Monthly Summary for the Cabinet for the month of July, 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 July, 2016

In accordance with the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Act, 2015, Coal Mines Development and Production Agreement (CMDPA) for Mandakini B coal mine has been signed with M/s NTPC Limited on 05.07.16. In addition Vesting Order of Ardhagram coal mine has been issued to M/s OCL Iron and Steel Limited on 14.07.16 consequent to the dismissal of the Writ Petition by the Calcutta High Court.

2. In addition, review meetings were held under the Chairmanship of Joint Secretary (Sh. Vivek Bhardwaj) / Nominated Authority to review the status of all Schedule III coal mines as well as Schedule II coal mines of West Bengal State on 19.07.16 and 20.07.16 respectively.

3. Further, sanction order for transfer of compensation for land and mine infrastructure in respect of Gare Palma IV/5 coal mine to the Commissioner of Payments for disbursal to prior allottee, was issued on 28.07.16.


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

1. (a) Coal production

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<tr>
<th>Company</th>
<th>July,2016</th>
<th>% Achievement</th>
<th>April-July,2016</th>
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<td>Target</td>
<td>Actual</td>
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<td>CIL</td>
<td>40.294</td>
<td>36.738</td>
<td>172.719</td>
<td>162.382</td>
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<td>SCCL</td>
<td>4.187</td>
<td>3.834</td>
<td>19.061</td>
<td>17.940</td>
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(b) Overall coal dispatch

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<tr>
<td>CIL</td>
<td>41.465</td>
<td>40.908</td>
<td>1.4%</td>
<td>174.657</td>
<td>170.299</td>
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<td>SCCL</td>
<td>3.987</td>
<td>5.071</td>
<td>-21.4%</td>
<td>18.003</td>
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(c) **Coal dispatch to Power sector**

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<td>CIL</td>
<td>31.498</td>
<td>30.984</td>
<td>1.7%</td>
<td>131.104</td>
<td>129.679</td>
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<td>SCCL</td>
<td>3.398</td>
<td>4.147</td>
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<td>15.150</td>
<td>15.390</td>
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(d) **Spot E-auction of coal**

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<tr>
<td>CIL</td>
<td>3.925</td>
<td>5.399</td>
<td>18.82%</td>
<td>16.248</td>
<td>19.929</td>
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(e) **Special Forward E-auction for Power**

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<th>Company</th>
<th>Coal Qty. Allocated July,2016</th>
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<th>Coal Qty. Allocated Apr-July,2016</th>
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<td>CIL</td>
<td>-</td>
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<td>12.450</td>
<td>19.70%</td>
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<td>1.</td>
<td>Overburden (LM³)</td>
<td>143.85</td>
<td>172.80</td>
<td>120.13</td>
<td>142.73</td>
<td>21.07</td>
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<td>2.</td>
<td>Lignite (LT)</td>
<td>24.55</td>
<td>19.50</td>
<td>79.43</td>
<td>19.23</td>
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<td>3.</td>
<td>Power Gross (MU)</td>
<td>1780.46</td>
<td>1699.11</td>
<td>95.43</td>
<td>1707.33</td>
<td>-0.48</td>
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<td>4.</td>
<td>Power Export</td>
<td>1440.00</td>
<td>1503.33</td>
<td>104.40</td>
<td>1599.14</td>
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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 July, 2016 is 0.30 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, 2.96 lakh metre of drilling has been carried out upto the month of July, 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.

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