

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
(b) With NCDC's loan assistance	22.50	17.50	10.00	20.00	15.00	7.50
Sub Total (ii)	45.00	35.00	20.00	40.00	30.00	15.00
Debt						
(iii) Term loans	50	60	80	50	60	80
	100	100	100	100	100	100
Cooperatively under-developed states						
Equity						
(i) Members Contribution as share capital	5.00	5.00	-	7.50	7.50	5.00
(ii) State Govt's share capital						
(a) Own resources	11.25	8.75	10.00	12.50	9.75	7.50
(b) With NCDC's loan assistance	33.75	26.25	10.00	30.00	22.75	7.50
Sub Total (ii)	45.00	35.00	20.00	42.50	32.50	15.00
Debt						
(iii) Term loans	50	60	80	50	60	80
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100

Supply of Coal to Steel Industries

518. SHRI NARESH PUGLIA: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether the supply of coking coal from indigenous sources to the steel sector is not coping with the need of the steel industries;

(b) if so, the total monthly demand of coal by steel industries;

(c) whether poor quality of coal is being supplied to steel industries; and

(d) if so, the steps the Government propose to take to make availability of good quality of coal to steel industries in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI DILIP RAY) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) All India Coking Coal demand assessed for the year 1998-99 for steel sector is 37.70 million tonnes which works out to 3.14 million tonnes/month. Against which the actual raw coking coal supply from CIL to steel plants during April, 1998 had been only 1.361 million tonnes.

(c) Ash percentage of coal supplied to steel plants is maintained at agreed levels, but there are a few slippages.

(d) Because of depletion in reserve of good quality coking coal in the country, supply of specified quality of coking coal to the washeries is getting affected. This is causing production of washed coal of somewhat inferior quality. Apart from commissioning two washeries at Kedia (CCL) and Madhuband (BCCL) which would produce desired quality of washed coal from presently available coking coal, the Government has also reduced the import duty on coking coal, so that steel sector may import required

quantity of desired quality coking coal for blending with indigenous coal.

Loans to Unemployed Youths

519. SHRI A.VENKATESH NAIK : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of educated unemployed youths in Karnataka who applied for loan from the nationalised banks for starting their own industries/ business during each of the last three years;

(b) the amount of loan sanctioned and disbursed by the said banks and the number of youths provided loans;

(c) the number of applications pending and the reasons for delay; and

(d) the time by which the remaining applications are likely to be cleared?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (BANKING, REVENUE AND INSURANCE) (SHRI KADAMBUR M. R. JANARTHANAN) : (a) and (b) A statement giving details in respect of Prime Minister's Rojgar Yojana (PMRY) is enclosed.

(c) and (d) Reserve Bank of India (RBI) have reported that number of applications pending with the banks under PMRY are 987, 2982, and 4786 for programme years 1995-96, 1996-97 and 1997-98 respectively. The reasons for pendency of applications are generally (i) bunching of applications towards the end of the programme year; (ii) incomplete applications (iii) borrowers not responding to the calls of the bank etc. RBI has further reported that