

RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI BABAGAUDA PATIL) : Total allocation of Central assistance for DWCR programme during the 1996-97 and 1997-98.

Sl. No.	State/Union Territories	Total Allocation	
		Year	
		1996-97	1997-98
1.	Andhra Pradesh	624.82	396.38
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	68.38	55.38
3.	Assam	299.70	214.88
4.	Bihar	530.25	505.25
5.	Goa	18.50	11.50
6.	Gujarat	265.65	168.13
7.	Haryana	164.45	105.25
8.	Himachal Pradesh	98.30	60.00
9.	Jammu & Kasnmir	158.00	139.00
10.	Karnataka	360.52	238.50
11.	Kerala	193.36	119.00
12.	Madhya Pradesh	479.38	449.38
13.	Maharashtra	394.00	340.00
14.	Manipur	66.63	38.63
15.	Meghalaya	89.00	62.00
16.	Mizoram	24.50	11.50
17.	Nagaland	49.25	22.25
18.	Orissa	292.88	262.88
19.	Punjab	146.88	99.88
20.	Rajasthan	246.74	215.74
21.	Sikkim	39.75	25.75
22.	Tamil Nadu	319.88	311.88
23.	Tripura	39.25	15.25
24.	Uttar Pradesh	950.28	635.75
25.	West Bengal	291.75	243.75
<i>Union Territories</i>			
1.	A & N Islands	15.77	11.25
2.	D & N Haveli	6.50	5.50
3.	Daman & Diu	7.00	8.00
4.	Lakshadweep	7.00	6.00
5.	Pondicherry	17.00	6.00
Total		6262.37	4785.41

[Translation]

Doubling of Rail Lines

265. SHRI MAHESH KANODIA : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether some hindrances are coming in the way of doubling of rail lines;

(b) if so, the nature of these hindrances being faced during the last two years; and

(c) the efforts made by the Government to remove these hindrances ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI RAM NAIK) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Constraints of resources has been the major hindrance.

(c) The funds for Plan Head 'Doubling' are proposed to be increased substantially this year.

Contracts Awards for Major Minerals and Kimberlite Pipes

266. SHRI CHANDRASHEKHAR SAHU : Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Kimberlite pipes have been found in the mines of Devbhog-Manpur area of Raipur district in Madhya Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of the major minerals for which contracts and lease awarded in Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh for their mining, exploration and marketing during February 1, 1998 to April 30, 1998;

(d) the details of amount so fixed, mineral-wise; and

(e) the names of the firms engaged for mining, exploration survey and marketing of these minerals?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI RAMESH BAIS) : (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Five Kimberlite pipes have been found in the Bahradih-Payalikhanda Area, about 50 Km NNW (North North West) of Deobhog in Raipur district of Madhya Pradesh. Two of these Kimberlites are located at Payalikhanda and one each at Bahradih, Jangra and Kodomali. The surface dimensions of the pipes are (i) Payalikhanda I—100 M x 100 M (ii) Payalikhanda II—50 M x 50 M (iii) Bahradih 300 M x 200 M (iv) Jangra 50 M x 50 M (v) Kodomali 300 M x 300 M. Of the five Kimberlite bodies, the Payalikhanda and Bahradih Kimberlites are diamondiferous.

(c) to (e) To details of major minerals for which mining leases/prospecting licences have been granted in Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh for their mining exploration and marketing during February 1, 1998 to April 30, 1998, alongwith the names of the firms are given in the enclosed Statements I, II, III, and IV respectively. As per the existing provisions made in MM (R & D) Act, 1957 and MCR, 1960, royalty, dead rent, etc. are levied.

Statement-I**Mining Lease for major Minerals in Rajasthan
(From 1.2.98 to 30.4.98)**

S.No.	State	Mineral	District	Village	Area (HCCT)	Dak of grant	Period	Date of Execution	Name of the Party
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1.	Rajasthan	Quartz & Silica Sand	Sikar	Asepura	5.00	11.3.98	20	—	Radheshyam Park S/o Madan Lal Park, Bandiyawad Chandpole Gade Sikar
2.	-do-	Chinaclay	Chittorgar	Kantorla	5.00	24.2.98	20	—	J.K. White Cement Works Gotan, Distt. Nagaur (Raj.)
3.	-do-	Felspar & Quartz	Tonk	Gulgaon	5.00	13.2.98	20	—	Sanjay Basotiya, S/o Late Sabarmai Basotiya, Navaigadh House Zetwada Road, Jaipur (Raj.)
4.	-do-	-do-	Ajmer	Balewarat	5.00	17.2.98	20	—	Parasmal Jain, S/o Mangal Chand Jain 212, out of Nehru Gate Beawer 305901 Ajmer
5.	-do-	-do-	-do-	Piprol	34.00	17.2.98	20	—	Shankar Singh, S/o Chatar Singh At Piprol dt. Ajmer
6.	-do-	Gypsum	Shreeganga Nagar	Anandgadh	275.71	2.3.98	20	—	Rajasthan State Mines & Minerals Ltd. Sadul Club Bldg. Bikaner (Raj.)
7.	-do-	Limestone	Chittorgarh	Madho Bamniya	724.68	3.3.98	20	—	Orient Paper & Industries Ltd. Lawli Mansion 4th Floor 6-3-1090 K/1/A Raj Bhavan Road Samaj Guda, Hyderabad (A.P.)
8.	-do-	Ballclay, Chinaclay & Fireclay	Bikaner	Indo-Ka Bala	108.63	18.2.98 (R)	20	—	Chowdhary Mines & Minerals w.e.f. 2.3.98 Near Rao Bikaji School Ajmer Road Bikaner (Raj.)
9.	-do-	Limestone	Nagaur	Gotan	400.00	9.3.98 (A)	20 (w.e.f. 7.4.98)	—	J.K. White Cement Works Ltd. P.O. Gotan, Distt. Nagaur (Raj.)
10.	-do-	Mica, Felspar & Quartz	Ajmer	Sanad	42.66	26.2.98	20 (x) w.e.f. 11.3.97	—	Sunil Kumar Jain 613, Biharji & Road Nasaridabad, Ajmer Dt.
11.	-do-	Quartz & Felspar	Bhilwara	Devipura	5.00	—	20	23.2.98	Shutham Minerals 39, Som Nath Colony College Marg Beawar Distt. Ajmer (Raj.)
12.	-do-	Emerald Soap Stone, Felspar & Quartz	Ajmer	Rajgadh	48.32	7.4.98	20	—	Mining & Mineral Industries Pors. A.K. Sethi 13-Parasnath Jain, Colony Danlot Ajmer (Raj.)

Statement - II**Prospecting Licence for Major Minerals in Rajasthan
(Period from 1.2.98 to 30.4.98)**

S.No.	State	Mineral	District	Village	Area (HCCT)	Dak of grant	Period	Date of Execution	Name of the Party
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1.	Rajasthan	Mica, Quartz Felspar & Soapstone	Rajsamand	Moma	185.00	5.2.98	2	—	Kishan Lal Nai, S/o Amar Lal Nai Nai Hawal- Ka-Chowk Nathdwara dt-Rajsamand (Raj)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2.	-do-	Calcite & Quartz	Sirohi	Singa-K-P Pawli	81.20	11.3.98	1	-	Jayantilal Sindhi S/o Puanamchand Palace Road, Sirohi
3.	-do-	Bismuth & Associated Minerals	Sikar	Rajpur	257.35	4.2.98	2	-	Prerna Granites Pvt. Ltd. Premprakash Cinema Chowda Rasta, Jaipur-302003
4.	-do-	Rock Phosphate	Jaisalmer	Birmaniya	400.00	20.2.98	1	-	R.S.M.D.C. Ltd. Khanji Bhawan Tilak Nagar, Jaipur
5.	-do-	Felspar & Quartz	Rajsamand	Bhurwada	130.00	25.12.97	1	10.2.98	Jayamouorial Chhaganlal Keelal At Barala P.O. Anjana Ton. Durgarh.
6.	-do-	Felspar & Quartz	Ajmer	Lugana	140.00	-	1	2.2.98	Anuj Rastogi S/o Sahdev Rastogi 34/455 A, Geera Niwas Pal Bichha, Ajmer
7.	-do-	Mica, Felspar Quartz	Bhilwara	Asahil	187.50	-	2	7.2.98	Anwar Hussain S/o Sadiq Hussain Bagore, Tal. Mandal dt. Bhilwara
8.	-do-	Mica, Felspar & Quartz	Bhilwara	Raghunath-pura	150.00	-	2	20.2.93	Smt. Nirmaladevi Prakashchand Chordiya ASIK, Bhilwara
9.	-do-	Jasper	Jalore	Dodiyali	420.00	-	1	6.3.98	Narayan Lal Rawataji At. Guda Balotan Tal. Ahore, dt. Jalore
10.	-do-	Soap Stone & China Clay	Bhilwara	Gogas	104.80	-	2	27.2.98	Smt. Gitadevi Laxmi Narayan Valenov. At-Sirsidiyal Bhilwara (Rajasthan)
11.	-do-	Mica Felspar & Quartz	Bhilwara	Sodor	123.60	-	2	5.3.98	H.P. Meena S/o L.C. Meena Nandweth, Tel. Aru-Jiya, Bara.
12.	-do-	Mica Felspar & Quartz	Bhilwara	Marewada	132.00	-	2	18.2.98	B.N. Mining Co. D-29, 2nd Floor New Delhi.
13.	-do-	Mica Felspar & Quartz.	Bhilwara	Ranal	130.00	-	2	21.2.98	Smt. Raisa Begam At Ajjmandil Bagore, dt. Bhilwara
14.	-do-	Mica, Felspar & Quartz	Bhilwara	Kerkheda	200.00	-	2	7.2.98	Suresh Kumar Bhanwarlal Lamad, Purohit Kheda, Tel. Mandal, Dt. Bhilwara
15.	-do-	Soapstone	Bhilwara	Kalundiya	288.00	-	2	2.2.98	Surendra Singh, S/o Manoharsingh Chandaliya Manohar Kunj, Bhilwara
16.	-do-	Mica Felspar & Quartz	Bhilwara	Boriyapura	149.89	-	2	7.2.98	Liyakat Hussain, Bagora Tel. Mandal, Bhilwara
17.	-do-	Mica Felspar & Quartz	Bhilwara	Bharikheda	130.00	-	2	3.2.98	Ramgopal Govardhandas Valenov, At Narana Tel. As K. Dt. Bhilwara
18.	-do-	Emerald, Mica Granet, Quartz	Rajsamand	Gaoguda	275.83	-	2	12.2.98	Babulal Modi Lal Pandiyyar, Chhota Telipura, Naldara dt. Rajsamand
19.	-do-	Mica Felspar & Quartz	Bhilwara	Amil	130.00	-	2	11.2.98	Devilal Bhuralaji Nayak, Amil, Tel. Sahada Dt. Bhilwara
20.	-do-	Felspar & Quartz	Bhilwara	Sarsiya	150.00	-	2	21.2.98	Vinod Kumar Noramal Goyal At. Devil, Dt. Tonk.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
21.	-do-	Lead, Zinc Copper, Gold & Associated Mineral	Bhilwara	Bhilwara Rajsamand & Ajmer	1486.00.00 — (1486 sq km)	—	3	11.3.98	B.H.P. Mineral India (P) Ltd. 4th Floor, World Trade Tower World Trade Tower New Delhi-110001
22.	-do-	-do-	Bhilwara	Bhilwara	131000.00 — (1310 sq. km.)	—	3	11.3.98	-do-
23.	-do-	Mica Felspar & Quartz	Bhilwara	Ashaholi	148.50	—	2	21.2.98	Liyaket Hussan S/o Syed Hussan Shaikh, At. Bogore, dt. Bhilwara
24.	-do-	Mica Felspar & Quartz	Bhilwara	Mokhampura	240.00	—	2	9.3.98	Rameshwar Lal Sharma At Brohmapuri-Gangapur Dt. Bhilwara
25.	-do-	Felspar & Quartz	Bhilwara	Senunda	175.00	—	2	9.3.98	Mahavir Badola Near Large Temple Asind, dt. Bhilwara
26.	-do-	Mica Felspar & Quartz	Bhilwara	Bhadu	160.00	—	2	21.2.98	Bansilal Maglial Khatik, At Bagora Dt. Bhilwara

Statement - III*Mining Lease for Major Minerals in Madhya Pradesh**(Period from 1.2.98 to 30.4.98)*

Source		BMI (QML, grant, Execu. & Renewal)							
S.No.	State	Mineral	District	Village	Area (Hect.)	Date of grant	Period (Yrs.)	Date of Execution	Name & Address of the Party
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1.	Madhya Pradesh	Dolomite	Raipur	Dhanell	3.24	5.2.98	20	—	Smt. Nella Chawla W/o I.N. Chawla 29, MIG, 2, Hudko Bhilal, Dt. Durg (MP)
2.	-do-	-do-	Mandia	Kekaliya	3.23	10.3.98	20	—	Vinod Kumar Agarwal At. Laki Automobiles Lalitpura Ward, Mandia (M.P.)
3.	-do-	Limestone	Durg	Nandani Kundani	1.92	10.3.98	20	—	Smt. Mohndevi Mishra W/o B.R. Mishra 48/5, East Bhilal Dt. Durg (MP)
4.	-do-	Orchra Lafelite	Satna	Pipriola	34.17	3.2.98	20	—	Sharad Kumar Bansal Jaitwara, distt. Satna (M.P.)
5.	-do-	Limestone	Jabalpur	Amchta	14.06	9.2.98	(R) 20	—	Ravu Kumar Grower Civil Lines, Katni Distt. Jabalpur (MP)
6.	-do-	Limestone Dolomite	-do-	-do-	16.66	23.2.98	(R) 20	—	G.K. Maltra Amehta Stone & Lime Co. Amehta, Tal. Katni Distt. Jabalpur (HP)

Statement -IV*Prospecting Licences for Major Minerals in Madhya Pradesh**(Period from 1.2.98 to 30.4.98)*

S.No.	State	Mineral	District	Village	Area (Hect.)	Date of grant	Period (Years)	Date of Execution	Name & Address of the party
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1.	Madhya Pradesh	Calcite	Khargaan	Palona	9.00	13.2.98	1	—	Loyal Minerals Corporation 10, Bhagatasingh Marg Indore (M.P.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2.	-do-	Galena	Rajnandgaon	Karemtara	2.23	17.2.98	1	-	Agarwal Minerals, Prop : Manoj Agarwal Raipur (M.P.)
3.	-do-	Laterite & Clay	Jabalpur	Sahehar	23.22	17.2.98	1	-	Hement Gupta S/o N.K. Gupta Garg Chauraha, Katni Distt. Jabalpur (M.P.)
4.	-do-	Limestone	Damoh	Ghira & Others	763.35	17.3.98	2	-	Diamond Cements Prop : Mysore Cement Ltd. PO-Narasinhgad Distt. Damoh (M.P.)
5.	-do-	Pyrophyllite & Diaspore	Chhatarpur	Mugawari	7.00	27.2.98	1	-	1) Ritesh Kumar Khare Ward No. 5, Art School Rd. Chhatarpur 2) Deepak Kumar Khare Mugari, Tal Bijnwar Dt-Chhatarpur
6.	-	Silica Sand	Khargaon	Chandrapura	0.41	9.3.98	1	-	Shrae Enterprises (Firm) 6, Mahashwar Road Pagariya Bhawan, Badwada Distt. Khargaon (M.P.)
7.	-do-	White Clay	Jabalpur	Koniya	1.88	17.2.98	1	-	Sunil Agarwal Post Krupalpur dt. Satna (M.P.)

Housing Loan under Indira Awas Yojana

267. SHRIMATI OMVATI DEVI : Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether the criteria laid down by the Centre for providing Housing Loan to the poor villagers under Indira Awas Yojana is being violated in Bihar, particularly in Benipur, Darbhanga by processing the false loan files for the grant of loans to the illegible persons;

(b) if so, whether any inquiry to the matter has been conducted;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the action taken against the guilty persons and the steps taken to curb recurrence of such activities in future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT : (SHRI BABAGOUDA PATIL) : (a) Under Indira Awas Yojana 100% grant/subsidy is provided to the BPL poor for construction of houses. There is no provision of extending housing loan under Indira Awas Yojana.

(b) to (d) In view of the reply at (a) above question does not arise.

BALCO

268. SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULESTE : Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state :

(a) whether Bharat Aluminium Company Limited (BALCO) in Mandla of Madhya Pradesh have sought the lease of mining in Hazari Dadar;

(b) if so, the time by which lease is likely to be granted to the Company;

(c) whether the term of this company is going to complete in September, 1999;

(d) if so, whether the Company has sent any proposal to the Government for the extension of time; and

(e) if so, the period for which it is likely to be extended with full details in this regard ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI RAMESH BAIS) : (a) to (e) BALCO was granted mining lease for bauxite in April, 1977 in Hazaridadar area in Mandla District which was valid for 10 years. However, in November, 1986, when BALCO submitted application for renewal on mining lease. It was rejected by the State Govt. on the ground that the area in question falls in the forest area. BALCO went in appeal in December, 1989 against the order of the State Government and the Central Government Tribunal by its order dated 10th January, 1990 set aside the order of State Government and advised the State Government to decide the renewal of lease on merits. Mining lease period of Raktidadar, Nanhoodadar and Khurkhuridadar area of Mandla Distt. (MP), other mines of BALCO, will expire on 12.9.1999. No proposal for the extension of lease for these areas have been received since the bauxite reserves will be mined out before expiry of lease period.

[English]

Gauge Conversion of Rupa-Bangriposi Railway Line

269. SHRI KHARABELA SWAIN : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :