

Regarding pension related issues faced in Singareni Colliery

SHRI VAMSI KRISHNA GADDAM (PEDDAPALLE): Thank you, Sir, for giving me this opportunity. 35 years ago, Kaka Venkataswamy introduced pension for the benefit of workers of Singareni Collieries. Since 35 years, pension has not been revised from ₹1500. They are fighting for justice. Singareni workers participated in the Telangana movement. But after retirement, these workers who are giving light to our country are seeing darkness in their life. We can't buy even one rice bag with ₹1500. ₹1500 is not enough when we visit a doctor. How can we justify ₹1500 pension even after 35 years? They are fighting for justice and I demand that this pension be revised to at least ₹ 10,000. Thank you.