

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR
LOK SABHA**

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SECURITY OF MINERS
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Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) the number of officers dealing with the security of the Miners indicted by the investigating DGMS (Director General of Mine Safety) in the last three years; and

(b) the number out of them punished by the Mining Companies?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI MUNI LALL)

(a): The number of officers dealing with the security of the Miners indicted by the investigating DGMS (Directorate General of Mine Safety) in the last three years are as under:-

Type of Mineral	1998	1999	2000
Coal	273	213	137
Non-Coal	106	110	74

(b): The number out of them punished by the Mining Companies are as under:-

Type of Mineral	1998	1999	2000
Coal	88	85	28
Non-Coal	42	45	11