

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINES
LOK SABHA**

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DISPLACEMENT OF WORKERS OF NALCO
Majhi Shri Parsuram

Will the Minister of MINES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of families displaced in the National Aluminium Company(NALCO) specially in the Damanjodi sector;
- (b) whether some of the displaced families have been rehabilitated, given employment, or other kind of compensation by NALCO;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reason therefor ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF MINES (DR. DASARI NARAYANA RAO)

- (a): At Damanjodi, total 600 families were displaced for NALCO`s establishment.
 - (b) to (d): Yes, Sir. Total 598 persons out of the 600 families displaced have been rehabilitated in two specifically constructed colonies with infrastructure facilities at Damanjodi in addition to payment of cash compensation for the land required. The balance two families for the purpose of rehabilitation have preferred to stay at their native place and, hence, not availed the rehabilitation benefit.
- Moreover, one able bodied nominee each from 585 families has also been provided permanent employment in the Company.