

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STEEL
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:49
ANSWERED ON:24.07.2006
SPONGE IRON PLANTS
Pathak Shri Brajesh

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of sponge iron plants set up in Public and Private Sectors in different States as on date;
- (b) the opportunities for employment generated by these plants, separately;
- (c) whether the provision for reservation of certain percentage of jobs for local people has been made;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the action taken so far in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (DR. AKHILESH DAS)

(a)to(e): The information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the Lok Sabha.