

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINES  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3359  
ANSWERED ON:30.11.2010  
RATE OF ROYALTY  
Satpathy Shri Tathagata;Singh Shri Murarilal

**Will the Minister of MINES be pleased to state:**

- (a) the royalty on minerals paid to the mineral producing States during each of the last three years;
- (b) the royalty rate per tonne of mineral as on date;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to empower the States to revise royalty rate at a regular intervals;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF MINES AND MINISTER OF DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION (SHRI B. K. HANDIQUÉ)

(a): States are the owner of minerals and royalty on minerals is collected by the State Governments. The data on payment of royalty to mineral producing states is not centrally maintained. However, as per information available with Indian Bureau of Mines, the details of royalty collected by State Governments is given in Annexure.

(b): The rates of royalty are available on website of the Ministry of Mines <http://mines.gov.in/>.

(c) to (e): No, Madam. However the State Governments are consulted before any revision in rates of royalty for minerals is taken up by the Government.

**ANNEXURE**

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3359 FOR REPLY ON 30.11.2010 REGARDING RATE OF ROYALTY BY SHRI MURARI LAL SINGH AND SHRI TATHAGATA SATPATHY:

Royalty accrual for major minerals (excluding coal and lignite)

(In Rs. Crore)

State	Royalty		
	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10 (P)
Assam	0.74	0.63	0.94
Andhra Pradesh	232.37	242.85	370.38
Bihar	NA	2.69	NA
Chattisgarh	148.80	153.89	474.39
Gujarat	168.45	157.86	250.00
Goa	26.48	27.46	285.91
Haryana	NA	0.06	NA
Himachal Pradesh	40.16	NA	NA
Jammu & Kashmir	NA	2.93	NA
Jharkhand	86.88	63.23	319.04
Karnataka	135.53	184.13	433.12
Kerala	7.05	7.24	8.81
Madhya Pradesh	208.88	191.42	351.49
Maharashtra	78.97	107.42	85.10
Meghalaya	NA	NA	7.26
Orissa	336.23	431.35	654.46
Rajasthan	761.79	641.81	997.28
Tamilnadu	86.82	104.24	130.56
Total	2319.15	2319.21	3997.42

NA: Not available

(P): Provisional

Source: Indian Bureau of Mines