

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2407
FOR ANSWER ON 08/07/2019

STEEL EXPORT

2407. SHRI VINAYAK RAUT:
DR. PRITAM GOPINATHRAO MUNDE:
DR. SHRIKANT EKNATH SHINDE:
SHRI SRIRANGA APPA BARNE:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the Engineering Exporters use steel as a raw material to manufacture products for export purposes;
- (b) if so, whether it is a fact that high prices of domestic steel has resulted in non-competitiveness of Indian downstream engineering exports;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the domestic steel makers charge huge margins from engineering exporters;
- (e) if so, the facts thereof;
- (f) whether there is a need to provide steel at affordable rates to engineering exporters; and
- (g) if so, the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to provide steel at affordable rates to engineering exporters?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STEEL

(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

(a)to(g): Yes, Sir. Steel Industry is a deregulated sector and steel prices in the country are market driven and commercially determined.
