

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.73  
FOR ANSWER ON 14/09/2020**

**BOKARO STEEL PLANT**

73. SHRI CHANDRA PRAKASH CHOUDHARY:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the cases of corruption , irregularity and violation of rules have come into limelight on a large scale due to the nexus of officers and contractors in Bokaro steel plant;
- (b) if so, the total number of cases amongst them in which action has been taken and the number of cases which are pending along with the details thereof; and
- (c) the strict action taken/proposed to be taken by the Government against the corrupt persons?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STEEL

(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

- (a) There are 1885 executives and 9522 non-executives (11407 total employees) in Bokaro Steel Plant (as on 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2020). A total of 77 complaints have been registered in its Vigilance office this year till 31<sup>st</sup> August on various matters including alleged irregularities, violation of rules and corruption etc.
- (b) Receipt and disposal of complaints is an ongoing process. Disciplinary action has been initiated in 5 cases till August, 2020 this year.
- (c) During this year (till 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2020), disciplinary proceedings {including those carried over from previous year(s)} have been completed against 8 employees with imposition of suitable penalty.

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