

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF STEEL

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1112
FOR ANSWER ON 19/12/2018

UPGRADATION WORK IN SAIL PLANTS

1112. MS. SAROJ PANDEY:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of the plants of SAIL under Ministry of Steel where upgradation work is being done;
- (b) by when this work would be completed; and
- (c) the estimated increase expected in the production capacity of SAIL after upgradation as compared to earlier production capacity?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR STEEL

(SHRI VISHNU DEO SAI)

(a)to(c): Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL) undertook modernization & expansion of its five integrated steel plants at Bhilai (Chhattisgarh), Bokaro (Jharkhand), Rourkela (Odisha), Durgapur (West Bengal) & Burnpur (West Bengal) and Special Steel Plant at Salem (Tamil Nadu) to enhance its crude steel capacity from 12.8 Million tonne per annum (Mtpa) to 21.4 Mtpa. The Modernisation and Expansion at Rourkela, Burnpur, Durgapur, Bokaro and Salem Steel Plants has been completed. Further, at Bhilai Steel Plant, all major facilities like New Coke Oven Battery No.11, 2nd Sinter Machine in Sinter Plant-3, New Blast Furnace (BF) No. 8, New Steel Melting Shop III (2 converters and 3 casters), Universal Rail Mill and Rail Welding Lines, Bar and Rod Mill have been completed.
