GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF STEEL

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4290 FOR ANSWER ON 04/04/2018

STEEL PRODUCTION IN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTORS

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Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) the status of steel production in public and private sectors of steel industry per annum, the details of imported steel, country-wise and quantity-wise and the status of current demand and supply as of now including consumer sales price per tonne during the last three years; and

(b) the present status of proposed/ working outlets under SAIL in Madhya Pradesh with reference to selling and manufacturing?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR STEEL

(SHRI VISHNU DEO SAI)

(a) The status in terms of contribution of the private and public sector in crude steel production in the country during the last three years and April-February, 2017-18 is given below:-

Indian Crude Steel Production (in mt)					
Sector	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	April- February 2017-18*	
Public Sector	17.21	17.92	18.46	17.88	
Private sector	71.77	71.87	79.48	75.23	
Total Production	88.98	89.79	97.94	93.11	
Source: JPC; *provisional; mt= million tonnes					

Data on country-wise and quantity-wise, total finished steel imports by India during the last three years and April- February, 2017-18 is given at **Annexure-I.**

Data on production for real consumption (demand) and sale (supply) of total finished steel in the country during the last three years and April- February, 2017-18 is shown below:-

Year	Total Finished Steel (mt)			
	Real Consumption (Demand)	Production for sale (Supply)		
2014-15	76.99	92.16		
2015-16	81.52	90.98		
2016-17	84.04	101.81		
April-February, 2017-18*	81.95	95.31		
Source: JPC ;*provisional				

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Information on consumer sales price is not maintained in Ministry of Steel. However, data on domestic, average, retail prices (Delhi market) of key items of iron and steel during the last three years is given at **Annexure-II**.

(b) The present status of working outlets under SAIL in Madhya Pradesh consist of Branch Sales Offices, Warehouses, Customer Contact Offices and Dealers, as per the following details:-

Outlet	Numbers	Location
Branch Sales Office	3	Gwalior, Indore, Jabalpur
Warehouse	1	Gwalior
CA Yard	3	Bhopal, Indore and Jabalpur
Customer Contact Office	1	Bhopal (under Indore branch)
Dealers	51	23 dealers in Indore, 18 dealers in Gwalior and 10 dealers in Jabalpur

SAIL has been making steel products of its various steel plants available to the customers of Madhya Pradesh from these outlets. In addition to the above, there is a Steel Processing Unit (SPU), JV at Gwalior where TMT is being produced by conversion from semis.

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Data on country-wise and quantity-wise, total finished steel imports by India during the last three years and April- February, 2017-18

IMPORT OF TOTAL FINISHED STEEL ('000t)				
COUNTRY	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	April-Feb., 2017-18*
AUSTRALIA	8.28	3.9	2.63	12.44
BAHRAIN	0.22	0.1	0.01	0.25
BELGIUM	126.13	95.7	75.7	88.75
BRAZIL	128.87	186.8	23.1	21.45
CANADA	7.31	6.6	4.78	13.91
CHINA	3600.42	4125.2	2157.49	1873.48
DENMARK	4.78	3.9	3.35	2.56
FINLAND	11.8	11.8	2.25	12.24
FRANCE	155.84	66.4	174	73.49
GERMANY	149.03	197.3	153.3	139.41
INDONESIA	14.41	242.8	46.08	103.69
IRAN	0	20.7	37.64	24.33
ITALY	54.95	28.3	34.99	109.99
JAPAN	1583.31	2160.4	1135.55	1066.07
KAZAKHSTAN	8.93	4.9	9.76	0.29
KOREA	1874.93	3007.3	2103.29	2273.83
MALAYASIA	95.99	53.1	28.95	28.97
NETHERLANDS	40.21	16.0	7.71	6.1
ROMANIA	11.14	1.9	1.45	4.77
RUSSIA	226.02	364.4	290.63	145.47
SOUTH AFRICA	71.47	51.8	23.06	46.67
SPAIN	29.67	28.3	25.34	27.7
TAIWAN	190.33	202.4	247.28	245.08
THAILAND	15.93	41.9	40.29	35.57
TURKEY	29.09	1.2	1	3.56
U.K.	30.26	30.7	16.17	40.48
UAE	34.14	36.4	30.05	21.83
UKRAINE	348.77	238.3	87.25	47.12
USA	120.12	82.5	75.04	120.39
Others	349	401	388	409
Total	9321	11712	7227	6999
Source: JPC; *provisional				

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Data on domestic, average, retail prices (Delhi market) of key items of iron and steel during the last three years (2014-15, 2015-16 and 2016-17)

Indicative year-wise average market prices of leading items of finished steel, Delhi market (Rs./t)				
ITEM	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	
Pig Iron	31807	25094	28958	
Pencil Ingots	33606	25458	25113	
Wire Rod 8mm	42396	35438	34915	
Rounds 12mm	42029	34988	33837	
TMT 10 mm	44288	36745	35237	
Plates 10mm	42578	34835	38275	
HR Coils 2.00 mm	43367	35542	38825	
CR Coils 0.63mm	49174	39852	41825	
GP Sheets 0.63mm	54049	44857	48950	
Melting Scrap HMS-II	25667	19383	17900	
Sponge Iron (Coal)	24688	18417	15500	
Source: JPC				
