

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1875
FOR ANSWER ON 28/11/2016

EMPLOYMENT GENERATION IN STEEL INDUSTRY

1875. DR. MANOJ RAJORIA:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has made an assessment of the scope to increase employment opportunities in steel industry in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the details of employment generated through steel industry, during last three years and current year, State/UT-wise; and
- (c) the policy formulated by the Government to increase employment opportunities in steel industry?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR STEEL

(SHRI VISHNU DEO SAI)

(a) Government engaged Indian Institute of Metal (IIM), Kolkata in March, 2007 for a comprehensive study on technical manpower requirement at different levels in the steel industry. The report has been submitted by IIM, Kolkata to Ministry of Steel in March, 2008 which inter-alia covers discipline-wise requirement of technical manpower needed by the iron and steel industry by the year 2020, including shortages thereof.

(b)&(c): Steel being a deregulated sector, employment decisions are taken by the individual steel companies, hence, the details of year-wise employment generated through steel industry is not maintained in the Ministry of Steel.
