GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF STEEL

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2138 FOR ANSWER ON 29/08/2013

CAPACITY OF STEEL PRODUCTION

2138. SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the capacity of production of steel in the country is not being fully exploited;
- (b) if so, the details in this regard and the capacity of steel production in the country in April, 2013; and
- (c) the percentage of capacity of steel production that has been exploited in the year 2012-13?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STEEL

(SHRI BENI PRASAD VERMA)

(a)to(c): During 2012-13 utilisation of capacity for steel production was 81% as against total capacity of 96.70 million tonnes.
