

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF STEEL

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.432
FOR ANSWER ON 06/02/2019

PERSONS DISPLACED DUE TO SETTING UP OF SALEM STEEL PLANT

432. DR. R. LAKSHMANAN:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that out of 3002 persons displaced due to setting up of Salem Steel Plant by Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL), employment to only 214 persons have been provided in the plant;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Government has fixed any time-line to provide employment to remaining persons;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR STEEL

(SHRI VISHNU DEO SAI)

(a)&(b): Out of 3002 families displaced due to acquisition of land in a phased manner between 1970 to 1983, Salem Steel Plant has provided employment to 214 persons belonging to Displaced Families.

(c)to(e): Pursuant to the BPE Circular No.15/13/84-BPE (C) dated February 3, 1986, order of Hon'ble High Court of Madras in WP No: 15959 and 15960 of 1994 & order of Division Bench of the Hon'ble High Court of Madras in Writ Appeals No. 821 and 822 of 1995 and C.M.P. Nos.10515 and 10516 of 1995, the individuals should get themselves registered/sponsored by the local employment exchange and in response to Salem Steel Plant's notification from time to time, if any as per requirement, and other things being equal, the persons of the displaced families could be given preference.
