## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF STEEL

# RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.\*201 FOR ANSWER ON 14/03/2018

### STEEL PLANT AT BAYYARAM

### \*201. SHRI DHARMAPURI SRINIVAS:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the matter of establishment of steel plant at Bayyaram, Khammam district of Telangana which was a promise made in the AP Reorganisation Act, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether Government of Telangana has submitted a fresh proposal through its IT Minister requesting the Ministry to expedite the process of establishment of a steel plant at Bayyaram in Telangana, if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Government has given any assurance in this regard, if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the steps being taken by Government to speed up execution work immediately?

### **ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STEEL

(SHRI CHAUDHARY BIRENDER SINGH)

(a)to(d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

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STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (A) TO (D) OF THE RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. \*201 FOR ANSWER ON 14/03/2018 TABLED BY SHRI DHARMAPURI SRINIVAS, MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING "STEEL PLANT AT BAYYARAM"

- (a) In terms of the Thirteenth Schedule of the Andhra Pradesh Reorganisation Act, 2014, Steel Authority of India Ltd. (SAIL) was to examine the feasibility of establishing an integrated steel plant at Bayyaram in Khammam district of Telangana. As per the feasibility report submitted by SAIL on 02.12.2014, the setting up of steel plant is prima facie not financially viable.
- (b) The IT Minister of Government of Telangana vide letter dated 27.12.2017 has reiterated to expedite the finalization of the feasibility report for facilitating the decision on setting up of Steel Plant in Telangana.
- (c)&(d): A Task Force has been constituted on 19.10.2016 comprising of representatives from the Central and concerned State Governments, SAIL, RINL, NMDC Ltd., MECON Ltd. and MSTC Ltd. to suggest a road map for setting up of Steel Plants in Khammam district of Telangana. In the last meeting of the Task Force held on 27.12.2017, it was decided that the concerned State Government would share with MECON the data for preparation of report and work out realistic assumptions based on which MECON would complete the Feasibility Report.

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