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मानव संसाधन को बनेगा एक्शन प्लान

कोल इंडिया के निदेशक (कार्मिक) बोले, काम करने को मिले अनुकूल माहौल

संवाद सहयोगी, सांकुतोडिया : कोल इंडिया के निदेशक (कार्मिक) विनय रंजन ने एचआर विजन को सभी अनुषंगी इकाईयों में लागू किया जाएगा। कोल इंडिया में मानव संसाधन को लेकर कई कार्यशालाओं का आयोजन किया गया। वहां से मिले सुझावों के आधार पर जल्द ही एक्शन प्लान बनाया जाएगा। वे यहां डिसरगढ़ क्लब में मंगलवार को एचआर विजन 2025 पर आयोजित कार्यशाला को बतौर मुख्य वक्ता संबोधित कर रहे थे।

अपने संबोधन में निदेशक (कार्मिक) विनय रंजन ने आगे कहा कि एक्शन प्लान को लागू करने के लिए समय सीमा का निर्धारण किया जाएगा। कोल इंडिया एक महारत्न

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- कोल इंडिया का हिरसा बनने वाले कर्मियों व अधिकारियों को मिले काम का अनुकूल माहौल

कंपनी है। हमारी कोशिश कर्मियों के लिए एक ऐसा माहौल सृजित करने की है, जिससे कोल इंडिया में आने के बाद कर्मियों का अनुभव अच्छा हो। जब वह यहां योगदान करने आए तो उनको अच्छा माहौल मिले।



ईसीएल के डिसरगढ़ क्लब में कार्यशाला को संबोधित करते कोल इंडिया के निदेशक (कार्मिक) विनय रंजन • जागरण

आधारभूत सुविधाएं जैसे खाने, काम करने की अच्छी सुविधाएं मिले, ताकि भी अपने काम पर ध्यान दे सकें। इसके लिए एचआर विभाग से सुविधाएं मिल जाएंगी। महारत्न कंपनी में एचआर (मानव संसाधन)

हमेशा अच्छा रहना चाहिए। इसे हम आगे लेकर कैसे जाएं। निदेशक कार्मिक ने कहा कि भूमि अधिग्रहण की क्षमता, प्रोजेक्ट मैनेजमेंट की क्षमता को बढ़ाना होगा। ग्रीन फील्ड विकसित करने, सरकार से पर्यावरण बल्लेयरेंस प्राप्त करें और लोगों के साथ समन्वय बनाकर चलें। राजमहल में जमीन का मुद्दा था, उसे जल्द सुलझाने का प्रयास किया जा रहा है। कार्यक्रम में ईसीएल के महाप्रबंधक (कार्मिक एवं औद्योगिक संबंध) पवन श्रीवास्तव, महाप्रबंधक (कल्याण एवं सीएसआर) मुकेश कुमार सिन्हा, उप महाप्रबंधक (प्रशासन) अर्पण घोष, मुख्य कार्मिक प्रबंधक पी भट्टाचार्य सहित अधिकारी मौजूद थे।

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Publication - The New Indian Express

Coal minister Sri Pralhad Joshi releases book on Coal India's contribution to fight COVID

Union Coal Minister Shri Pralhad Joshi on Tuesday released the book titled 'Coal India Wins Over Covid' in New Delhi. The book showcases the initiatives taken by national miner Coal India Limited (CIL) and its subsidiaries to help fight unprecedented challenges of global pandemic Covid-19. Secretary, Govt. of India, Ministry of Coal, Dr. Anil Kumar Jain, Additional Secretary, Govt. of India, Ministry of Coal, Shri Vinod Kumar Tiwari, Chairman - CIL Shri Pramod Agrawal, Director (Personnel & IR) - CIL Shri Vinay Ranjan, Director (Technical) - CIL Shri B. Veera Reddy and senior officials of the Ministry of Coal & CIL were present on the occasion either physically or through video conferencing.

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Publication – Mint

Coal India firms up EV plan to cut emissions

The miner will electrify vehicles used at its sites, and set up charging pods

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NEW DELHI

State-run miner Coal India Ltd plans to electrify thousands of fuel-guzzling vehicles used at its sites and those at its subsidiaries to reduce carbon emissions, two officials aware of the plans said. The transition plan will include setting up charging infrastructure at the sites.

Although not all heavy vehicles will be electrified, Coal India is working on transitioning a significant number of vehicles, one of the two officials cited above said on the condition of anonymity.

"In all our (Coal India) subsidiaries, hundreds of vehicles and thousands of heavy earth moving machinery are required that guzzle a lot of fuel. Vehicles moving from the mine to the railway stations around 6 km apart may not be converted to EVs as they are very heavy machinery and will not run on electric batteries, but payloaders which lift coal can be connected to the charging infrastructure...that is what we are doing as it has great potential."

The move to transition heavy machinery and vehicles is part of the company's plan to reduce its carbon footprint. It has also diversified its business by foraying into solar and coal gasification, and is also looking at aluminium production. The coal ministry's report for 2021-22 on task completion showed that the pre-feasibility study on EV and non-fuel minerals have already been prepared.

Heavy machinery and vehicles used across mining, construction and agriculture sectors are being electrified globally, but is yet to pick up in India, as the government and the industry is currently focusing on passenger and commercial EVs.

According to experts, electric heavy earth moving machinery will help bring down long-term costs for mining and raise energy efficiency.



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Coal India is already exploring the use of liquefied natural gas (LNG) instead of diesel for heavy earth moving machinery. Its subsidiary Mahanadi Coalfields Ltd is set to run a pilot at the Bharatpur opencast mine using LNG. GAIL will assist and execute the pilot project.

GAIL has already signed a memorandum of understanding and issued a tender

mines, which will submit its report on the improvement and applicability.

Queries to Coal India and the coal ministry remained unanswered till press time.

In another development, Coal India on Monday reported a 65% rise in its capital expenditure (capex) in the first quarter of FY23 to ₹3,034 crore. It was the ninth consecutive month of capex growth, the company said. "CIL's capex jumped to ₹3,034 crore in April-June compared to ₹1,841 crore in the year ago resulting in a sizeable ₹1,193 crore volume growth," it said in a statement.

A senior CIL official said the capex increase came on the back of strong spending in acquiring land and strengthening transport infrastructure in the coalfields under first mile connectivity projects. "These two vital areas help CIL in expanding its mining operations for accelerated production and pairing it with seamless transportation of coal," he said.

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MOVE to transition vehicles is part of the company's plan to reduce its carbon footprint

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for the retrofitting equipment. The pilot is to be completed by September 2022. Similarly, Northern Coalfields Ltd is in discussions with Indian Oil Corp. Ltd for a similar project. Coal India also plans to appoint a consultant to study global benchmarking standards and efficiency parameters of heavy earth moving machinery used at its

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Coal India's Q1 capex rises 65% to ₹3,034 cr

FE BUREAU
Kolkata, July 11

COAL INDIA (CIL) has achieved capital expenditure of ₹3,034 crore from April-June of the current fiscal, up 65% over the comparable quarter last year. The PSU miner has been maintaining robust capex over the last many quarters.

"The capex increase came on the back of strong spending in acquiring land and strengthening transport infrastructure in our coalfields under first-mile connectivity projects. These two vital areas help CIL in expanding its mining operations for accelerated production and pairing it with seamless transportation of coal," a senior CIL official said.

Land acquisition at ₹608 crore accounted for nearly one-



fifth of the first quarter's total capex basket. This represents a close 2.3-fold increase on year. The expenditure was spread across all the subsidiaries of CIL, the official informed.

Capex under first-mile connectivity projects, on the construction of coal handling plants, silos totalled ₹577 crore during the quarter under review. This has been a four-fold jump compared to ₹141 crore

spent in Q1 of last fiscal.

Rail sidings and laying of rail corridors accounted for ₹571 crore during the first quarter of the current fiscal — clocking a 57% growth. On a like-to-like comparison, the expenditure under this head was ₹363 crore. Both the evacuation logistics projects put together at ₹1,148 crore accounted for more than one-third of the total capex of ₹3,034 crore.

The other significant capex head was joint ventures, Hindustan Urvarak Rasayan (HURL) and Talcher Fertilizers, on whose account ₹518 crore was spent during the quarter under review. HURL's Gorakhpur plant has already started production whereas Sindri and Barauni plants will become operational during the fiscal.

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Publication - Business Standard (Hindi)

कोल इंडिया का पूंजीगत व्यय 65 प्रतिशत बढ़ा

सार्वजनिक क्षेत्र की कंपनी कोल इंडिया ने सोमवार को कहा कि वित्त वर्ष 2022-23 की जून तिमाही में उसका पूंजीगत व्यय 64.8 प्रतिशत बढ़कर 3,034 करोड़ रुपये हो गया जिसमें भूमि अधिग्रहण और कोयला क्षेत्रों में परिवहन ढांचे को मजबूत करने में हुए खर्च की अहम भूमिका रही। पिछले वित्त वर्ष की अप्रैल-जून अवधि में कोल इंडिया का पूंजीगत व्यय 1,841 करोड़ रुपये था।

कंपनी ने एक बयान में कहा, 'नीची तिमाही के लिए पूंजीगत व्यय में लगातार वृद्धि को बनाए रखते हुए कोल इंडिया लिमिटेड (सीआईएल) ने पिछले साल की समान तिमाही की तुलना में वित्त वर्ष 2022-23 की पहली तिमाही में 65 प्रतिशत की मजबूत वृद्धि हासिल की।' पहली तिमाही के कुल पूंजीगत व्यय का लगभग पांचवां हिस्सा यानी 608 करोड़ रुपये भूमि अधिग्रहण से संबंधित है।

यह अप्रैल-जून 2021-22 के दौरान इस मद में खर्च किए गए 268 करोड़ रुपये का 2.3 गुना अधिक है। यह खर्च सीआईएल की सभी अनुषंगी कंपनियों से संबंधित है।

कंपनी के एक वरिष्ठ अधिकारी ने कहा, 'पूंजीगत व्यय में वृद्धि 'फास्ट' माइल कनेक्टिविटी' (एफएमसी) परियोजनाओं के तहत हमारे कोयला क्षेत्रों में भूमि अधिग्रहण और परिवहन बुनियादी ढांचे को मजबूत करने

में पर्याप्त खर्च की वजह से हुई है। ये दो महत्वपूर्ण क्षेत्र सीआईएल को त्वरित उत्पादन के लिए अपने खनन कार्यों का विस्तार करने और कोयले का निर्यात परिवहन करने में मदद करते हैं।' अधिकारी ने कहा, 'सीआईएल की उत्पादन रफ़्तार वित्त वर्ष 2022-23 में अब तक लगातार दो अंकों की वृद्धि को बनाए हुए है। इस गति को जारी रखने के सभी प्रयास जारी हैं।

भाषा

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Publication - Business Standard

Coal India's capex rises 65% to ₹3,034 cr in June quarter

Coal India on Monday said its capital expenditure (capex) jumped 64.8 per cent to ₹3,034 crore in June quarter 2022-23, driven by strong spend in acquiring land and strengthening transport infrastructure in its coalfields under first-mile connectivity projects. Its capex was ₹1,841 crore in the April-June period of FY22. Land acquisition at ₹608 crore accounted for nearly one-fifth of the first quarter's capex basket. This is close to 2.3 times of ₹268 crore spent under this head during April-June 2021-22. **PTI**

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उत्पादन के लिए कोल इंडिया ने बढ़ाया निवेश

जाब्यू, नई दिल्ली : देश में ज्यादा कोयले की जरूरत को देखते हुए सरकारी कंपनी कोल इंडिया लिमिटेड (सीआइएल) अपनी पूंजीगत व्यय की राशि को भी लगातार बढ़ाती जा रही है। अप्रैल से जून, 2022-23 की तिमाही में कंपनी ने पिछले वर्ष की समान तिमाही के मुकाबले 65 प्रतिशत ज्यादा व्यय किया है। यह लगातार नौवीं तिमाही है जब कंपनी के पूंजीगत व्यय (कैपेक्स) में वृद्धि हुई है। कंपनी का कैपेक्स इस दौरान चालू वित्त वर्ष की पहली तिमाही में 3,084 करोड़ रुपये रहा है, जो पिछले वर्ष 1,841 करोड़ रुपये था।

कंपनी की तरफ से बताया गया है कि पूंजीगत व्यय में वृद्धि के प्रमुख कारणों में कोयला खदानों में भूमि अधिग्रहण और परिवहन के बुनियादी ढांचे को मजबूत करने में किया गया खर्च शामिल है। कंपनी के एक अधिकारी के अनुसार, खनन कार्यों के विस्तार और ताप बिजली संयंत्रों को तेजी से कोयला पहुंचाने के लिए उक्त क्षेत्रों में निवेश जरूरी है।

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Publication - Financial Express

CIL inducts director for business development

INDRONIL
ROYCHOWDHURY
Kolkata, July 12

COAL INDIA (CIL) has inducted a director for business development on its board — a move that will aid its diversification plan.

Debasish Nanda, who assumed charge as director - business development on July 11, will continue with the charge "till the date of his superannuation (May 31, 2025) or until further orders whichever is earlier", CIL informed the stock exchanges. Before joining the company, Nanda was executive director at Indian Oil Corporation.

CIL also announced the names of 11 other directors, of which 6 are independent.

According to sources, Nanda will likely look into new business verticals, which the PSU miner is entering into. CIL has already formed joint ventures with Hindustan Urvarak Rasayan and Talcher Fertilizers for fertiliser manufacturing.

The company is also diversifying into aluminium production, solar power production, thermal power production and coal gasification.

These projects are at various stages of development.

CIL has firmed up plans to import thermal coal and has placed consecutive orders of importing 8.416 million tonne (MT). "This (coal imports) is a new vertical for us opening up a revenue stream. If directed, CIL shall perform this new mandate in future as well responsibly," CIL chairman and managing director, Pramod Agrawal said.

While new business verticals need to be efficiently managed, CIL is likely to face fresh challenges with the coal sector opened up for commercial mining. Coal is likely to become an open market commodity with a likely regulator at the top.

Although CIL has its inherent advantages in coal mining and distribution, it also has some inherent disadvantages, mostly in areas of cost of operations, which could put CIL under competitive pressure in the future. "It is good that the ministry has not been complacent about CIL's advantages in mining and has taken early measures to cope with the rising situation," said Subrata Chakravarty, former chairman and managing director of Eastern Coalfields.

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Publication - Western Times

Coal India registers record 160 MT output in Apr-Jun this fiscal

New Delhi: State-owned Coal India said its coal production increased 29 per cent year-on-year to a record 159.8 million tonne (MT) in April-June this fiscal. It had produced 124 MT coal in the year-ago period, Coal India Limited (CIL) said.

CIL ended April-June FY23 capping a historic high of 29 per cent. CIL produced 159.8 MT of coal, which is 35.8 MT more than the 124 MT in

April-June FY22. All the coal companies of CIL have registered growth, the company said.

Such growth was never witnessed in any Q1 since CIL's inception. The company's first-quarter production surge of nearly 36 MTs surpassed the entire annual increase of 26.4 MT of FY22, a senior company official said. Increased production enables better stock build-up, it added.

With the coal demand from power plants reaching

a higher pitch, CIL's supplies to the power sector reached a new high of 153.2 MT during the quarter, registering a strong growth of 19.8 per cent.

The expansion in absolute terms was 25.3 MT over 127.9 MT of last fiscal's Q1. CIL on an average supplied 1.684 MT of coal per day to the power sector in June 2022 quarter compared to a daily requirement of 1.650 MT.

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Publication - Financial Express

● ADANI ENTERPRISES HAD EMERGED AS L1 BIDDER

Coal India cancels maiden short-term import tender

INDRONIL ROYCHOWDHURY
Kolkata, July 17

COAL INDIA (CIL) has cancelled its maiden tender for short-term imports of coal, in which Adani Enterprises had emerged as the L1 bidder. Adani had quoted ₹4,033 crore for the supply of 2.416 million tonne (mt) on a freight on road basis, but CIL ultimately didn't issue the contract's letter of award (LoA) to Adani.

However, it has already issued a LoA to Indonesian agency Bara Daya Energi Consortium for imports of 6 mt in the medium term and a contract has been given for importing 791,000 tonne during August-September, sources in the know said.

While CIL has confirmed that it has cancelled its maiden tender, it didn't want to cite any reason. Earlier, sources in CIL had said that although Adani has emerged as the L1 bidder, it would only make an official declaration informing the stock exchanges after making a proper financial evaluation.

Sources in the trade said the company found Adani's financial bid to be high, wherein CIL found a formidable price difference against their estimated tender value of ₹3,850 crore, for 2.416 mt of imports.

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lowest bidder for 6 mt of imports, quoted ₹4,331 crore and ₹4,497 crore for the eastern and western coast tenders, respectively, against an estimated tender value of ₹10,000 crore.

For the 791,000 tonne of imports, which CIL has already ordered for the month of August and September, the gen-cos that would be the buyers are Adhunik Power, SAI Wardha, Rattan India, Avantha Power & Infrastructure, CESC, Lanco Amarkantak Power, Jindal India Thermal

Power, ACB India, KSK and DB Power.

CIL's board on June 2 had decided to proceed with issuance of international tenders to source overseas coal on two counts. First, for the purpose of blending, for which the short-term tender was planned on the basis of the number of indents made, and second, two medium-term tenders were planned to keep a certain quantity of coal on tap, so that the power sector doesn't face any dearth of coal during the monsoons.