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Dear Sir/Madam,

सीआईएल आज प्रमुख समाचार पत्रों में एक प्रेस विज्ञप्ति प्रकाशित करने जा रहा है (प्रेस विज्ञप्ति की प्रति संलग्न है)। यह आपकी जानकारी और रिकॉर्ड के लिए है, जो सेबी LoDR' 2015 के विनियमन 30 के अनुसार है।

CIL is going to publish a press release in leading newspapers on date (copy of the press release is enclosed). This is for your information and record as per Regulation 30 of SEBI LoDR' 2015.

Yours faithfully,
For Coal India Limited

(बी पी दुबे/B. P Dubey)
Executive Director (CS)
& Compliance Officer

Encl: As above

27 March 2026

CIL's Rs.3300 Cr push for 8 new Coking Coal Washeries

Coal India Limited (CIL), in a move aimed at improving the quality of its coking coal, will be setting up eight new coking coal washeries at an estimated capital outlay of Rs. 3,300 Crores. Expected to be operational by FY 2030 these would have a combined washing capacity of 21.5 Million Tonnes per Year (MT/Y).

The upcoming coking coal washeries are in addition to the ten that CIL already operates having 18.35 MT/Y cumulative capacity. The Mahartana coal miner would also be investing Rs. 300 crore in renovation and modernization of the existing coking coal washeries to ensure their optimal and gainful utilization.

Of the eight new washeries five will be set up in Central Coalfields Limited (14.5 MT/Y) and three in Bharat Coking Coal Limited (7 MT/Y).

This calibrated expansion of washing capacity and modernization is to improve domestic coking coal quality and also is an effort to moderate import dependence in the coming years.

Having monetized one coking coal washery in Bharat Coking Coal Limited a year ago, plans are in pipeline to monetize three older, non-operative coking coal washeries aligning with National Monetization Policy. CIL is also renovating and modernizing two aging coking coal washeries to improve their throughput, recovery efficiency, and process reliability.

In a public-private collaboration model, CIL is leveraging washing capacity and technical expertise from TATA Steel Limited to enhance the supply of quality coking coal to the domestic steel sector.

Coking coal is a vital ingredient in steel making. Though India is well endowed with coal reserves, inherently, domestic coking coal resources are scarce. Compounding this, the ash content ranges from 25% to 45% much higher than other countries globally, making the import necessary.

The synergy of these efforts results in substitution of imported coking coal, reduction in forex outgo, and increased industrial competitiveness.