



राष्ट्रीय इस्पात निगम लिमिटेड
(भारत सरकार का उपक्रम)
Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Limited
(A Government of India Undertaking)
CIN No. U27109AP1982GOI003404



10.05.2023

**REPLY OF THE CPIO IN THE ONLINE RTI APPLICATION DATED 01/05/2023
FILED BY MR. T V NAGESWARA RAO REGD. NO. RINLT/R/X/23/00003**

Query:

We are happy to some extent that the Hon. Minister for Steel, Govt. of India, during his visit to the Visakhapatnam Steel Plant and meeting held with him, he has very categorically announced on 13 April, 2023, that the GOVERNMENT IS NOT GOING AHEAD WITH THE DECISION OF PRIVATISATION OF THE STEEL PLANT. RATHER, MAKING EVERY EFFORT TO REJUNEVATE IT WITH FUTHER EXPANSION AND DEVELOPMENT.

On this development, the concerned sections have felt a little sigh of relief at that moment. And wanted a clear cut Order with drawing the earlier decision to privatise the Plant. In view of the latest statement made by the Hon. Minister for Steel, the people, political parties and the Trade Unions, demanded immediate withdrawal of the earlier privatisation decision of Govt.

While this is so, again on 14th April, 2023, there came a news in the Print & Electronic media stating that the Govt is sticking up to its earlier decision to privatise the Visakhapatnam Steel Plant This statement again created unrest, tension and uproar in the sections concerned.

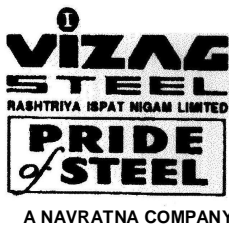
This has reference to your RTI application cited above forwarded by Ministry of Steel, furnishing you replies to some of your queries and requesting the CPIOs to furnish reply in respect of Query Nos. 2 & 4 directly to you.

Query. No. 2:

Copy of the statement made by the Hon. Minister at Visakhapatnam, on 13-04-2023 stating that the Govt is not going ahead with its decision to privatise the VSP.

Reply:

Such information is not available with RINL.



Please send your reply to:

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Visakhapatnam Steel Plant, Visakhapatnam - 530 031

Regd. Office : Visakhapatnam Steel Project, Administrative Building, Visakhapatnam - 530 031, INDIA.

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Query. No. 4:

Present Status to allot captive mines for the Visakhapatnam Steel Plant for its survival.

Reply:

1. As on date, RINL has the following aptive Mines.

S. No	Name of the existing Captive Mine & location	Material
1	Jaggayyapeta Limestone Mine Dist: NTR, Andhra Pradesh	Limestone
2	Madharam Dolomite Mine Dist: Khammam, Telangana	Dolomite
3	Garbham Manganese Mine Dist: Vizianagarm, Andhra Pradesh	Manganese

2. Till date no further Captive Mines are allotted to Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Limited, Visakhapatnam Steel Plant.

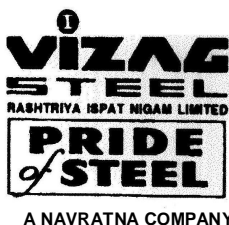
The above information is furnished to the best of my knowledge and ability.

In case you desire to prefer an appeal against the information furnished, in pursuance with Clause no. 7(8) of RTI Act-2005, you may do so to the Appellate Authority designated by VSP as per details furnished below within a period of thirty days

Appellate Authority

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Room No. 205, 2nd Floor,
ED (Works) Building,
Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Limited,
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