GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 177 TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.12.2013

Performance of HNL

177. SHRI JOSE K. MANI:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of financial performance of the Hindustan Newsprint Limited (HNL) for the last one year;
- (b) whether the Government has any plan for disinvestment of HNL at Kottayam, Kerala; and (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

- (a): During the financial year 2012-13, Hindustan Newsprint Limited (HNL), achieved a production of 103282 MT, which is 103.2% of the installed capacity. The sales turnover during the year 2012-13 was Rs. 323.58 crore. The company has incurred a loss of Rs. 18.17 crore.
- (b): No, Madam.
- (c): Does not arise.
