

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES & PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 72
ANSWERED ON 03.02.2020

REVIVAL OF HECL PLANT, JHARKHAND

72. SHRI MAHESH PODDAR:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that the Heavy Engineering Corporation Limited (HECL) Plant in Jharkhand is in sick condition and it needs to be revived;
- (b) if so, the details of the initiatives being taken by Government for the revival of HECL; and
- (c) whether Government is working on a plan to bring this plant under the control of Department of Atomic Energy to improve the condition of HECL, if so, by when and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES & PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
(SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)**

- (a) & (b): Government has not finalized any scheme for revival of HEC. However, Government has approved the transfer of 675.43 acres of HEC land to the Government of Jharkhand to raise Rs. 742.98 crore for liquidation of statutory dues and other liabilities.
- (c): Government has not decided the transfer of HEC to Ministry of Atomic Energy.
