

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.439
FOR ANSWER ON 05/02/2018

SCRAP-BASED STEEL PLANT

439. SHRI VENKATESH BABU T.G.:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) the requirement/production of steel along with the generation of steel scraps in the country at present;
- (b) whether the Government has any proposal to set up a scrap-based steel plant in the country and if so, the details and the estimated cost of the project;
- (c) whether it is also proposed to set up more such projects in other parts of the country particularly in southern India/Tamil Nadu; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the time by which the said projects are likely to be set up?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR STEEL

(SHRI VISHNU DEO SAI)

(a) The consumption/requirement of steel of finished steel in the country is 84.04 million tonnes and the total production for sale of finished steel is 101.81 million tonnes during the year 2016-17. The generation of steel scrap in the country during 2016-17 was 32.91 million tonnes.

(b)&(c): No, Madam.

(d) Does not arise.
