

**Government of India
Ministry of Steel**

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Action taken/Status of implementation of proactive measures relating to COVID-19.

Action Point for M/o Steel	Action Taken
<p>COVID 19 related Advisories issued by Ministry of Health & Family Welfare (MoH&FW) and other GoI Ministries to Steel CPSEs</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Various COVID 19 related instructions/guidelines issued by Government, from time to time, have been/are being disseminated to the Steel CPSEs for compliance.2. Steel CPSEs have been advised to adhere to the norms for social distancing in their workplace, townships, mines, etc. In daily report to Ministry from Steel CPSE, compliance is reported.3. Steel CPSEs have been advised to keep their Hospitals, Quarantine facilities, etc. for patients/suspected cases of COVID-19, in full preparedness. A daily compliance report on Government instructions and overall preparedness of such facilities is being obtained.4. Steel CPSEs have been advised to adopt 'Annadaan' (feeding of migrant workers and weaker sections of the society) initiative in and around their areas of operation. They have taken initiatives for it.5. Steel CPSEs have been informed about the coverage of healthcare providers, including community health workers, etc., who may have to be in direct contact and care of COVID-19 patients and who may be at risk of being impacted, under the "Prime Minister Garib Kalyan Package : Insurance Scheme for Health Workers Fighting COVID-19". Steel CPSEs in turn have given it wide publicity and assurance to their health and other support personnel.6. Steel CPSEs have been advised to inform the respective State Governments regarding availability of oxygen at their end and their capacity to supply oxygen, if needed, by the State authorities. Steel CPSEs in touch with State Government.7. All the Steel CPSEs have been advised to give wide publicity to the Aarogya Setu initiative through

	<p>Whatsapp, e-mails, SMS, Twitter and other social media handles, in their plant/mines/offices/townships, etc., so that more and more people download the mobile app. Steel CPSEs have complied with it.</p> <p>8.A whatsapp group of the Chairman/CMD, Director(HRs/Personnel) and all Nodal officers in Steel CPSEs involved in the fight against COVID-19 has been formed for timely and seamless flow/sharing of information on COVID related matters. Ministry officers are also members of this group for support and timely dissemination of information.</p>
<p>Steel CPSEs Hospitals, quarantine facilities, etc. for COVID-19 patients/suspected cases.</p>	<p>Details of Hospitals, Quarantine facilities, isolation wards/beds, etc. with the Steel CPSEs for COVID-19 patients/suspected cases, have been communicated to MoH&FW. The details of all such facilities have also been uploaded on MoH&FW dashboard covid19.nhp.gov.in. Data/information is regularly being updated/provided to MoH&FW through the Whatsapp group created by MoH&FW for all the Nodal Officers from Central Ministries/Departments/organisations.</p>
<p>Reviews undertaken at the level of Secretary (Steel) and Hon'ble Steel Minister (HSM)</p>	<p>Regular VCs are being held with the senior officers of the Ministry and CMDs of the Steel CPSEs. HSM has impressed upon effective implementation of the following five important initiatives, in the VC chaired on 8th April, 2020 with Sr. officers of the Ministry and CMDs of Steel CPSEs, in the fight against COVID-19 :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Supplement Government's efforts under Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Yojana (Annadaan) so that poor, migrant and other weaker sections of the society are provided with food/meals; 2. The need to continuously practice social distancing; 3. Supplementing Government's initiative viz. Aarogya Setu. 4. Ensure additional contributions to PM CARES FUND ; and 5. Use of face Mask by all and production of face masks through existing CSR initiatives by Steel CPSEs.
<p>Contribution to PM CARES FUND (PMCF)</p>	<p>Steel CPSEs have contributed Rs.267.55 crore to PMCF out of their CSR Budget and other sources. Further, salary contribution by Steel CPSE employees</p>

	<p>amounting to Rs.13.50 crore has also been remitted to PMCF. Private sector steel companies have contributed around Rs.206.38 crore to PMCF. This does not include contribution made by TATA Steel through its Group Companies directly to PMCF.</p>
<p>Action taken in respect of Ministry of Steel (Proper)</p>	<p>Guidelines/instructions in respect of preventive measures to contain the spread of COVID-19 issued by Ministry of Home Affairs, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare and Department of Personnel and Training are circulated among the employees of the Ministry and are being followed. The Ministry is working with skeletal staff. Meetings are conducted thorough Video Conference.</p> <p>An appeal was circulated among the employees of the Ministry for contributing one day salary to PM CARES FUND.</p> <p>All rooms occupied by the Ministry of Steel in Udyog Bhawan have been sanitized and disinfected.</p>
