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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: National Coal Index (Base 2017-18) for the month of Apr 2021

Based on the methodology of compilation of National Coal Index (Base 2017-18), the provisional indices for the month of April 2021 are hereby released:

National Coal Index for different Sectors/Sub-Sectors

Channel	Weight	Apr 2021*
Indian coal	100%	103.87
Non-coking	74.2251%	109.15
Coking	25.7749%	88.66
Non-coking, top grade (G1-G6 or imported)	24.5517%	110.23
Non-coking, middle grade (G7-G14 or imported)	74.8197%	108.96
Non-coking, bottom grade (G15-G17)	0.6285%	90.73
Coking, top grade (STI-STII or imported)	79.9360%	81.67
Coking, bottom grade (WI-WIV)	20.0640%	116.50

*NCI is provisional as the Import data is Provisional

2. The Provisional Representative Prices based on April 2021 Prices have also been compiled and the results are placed below:-

Representative Prices of different Grades of Coal based on April 2021 Prices

Grade	Representative Prices Apr'2021*
G1	6765
G2	4666
G3	4473
G4	4373
G5	4166
G6	3760
G7	2725
G8	2545
G9	2211

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Grade	Representative Prices Apr'2021*
G10	2011
G11	1593
G12	1429
G13	1359
G14	1176
G15	808
G16	627
G17	575
ST-I	10678
ST-II	9696
W-I	5790
W-II	4574
W-III	3758
W-IV	3087

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3. The historical data sets in respect of National Coal Index as well as the Representative Prices are given in Table A and Table B, respectively, in the Annexure.

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Table A: National Coal Index (Base 2017-18) for the Financial year 2017-18

Price Channel	Apr'17	May'17	Jun'17	Jul'17	Aug'17	Sep'17	Oct'17	Nov'17	Dec'17	Jan'18	Feb'18	Mar'18
Indian coal	97.4614	96.6817	95.6401	92.2195	93.6172	97.0699	98.9755	103.207	101.98	105.977	110.791	111.641
Non-coking	95.8954	94.3449	92.9086	92.4981	96.1414	99.2708	99.0367	103.694	103.042	107.141	110.182	110.575
Coking	101.971	103.411	103.506	91.4173	86.3484	90.7319	98.7991	101.804	98.9222	102.626	112.546	114.71
Non-coking, top grade (G1-G6 or imported)	94.3781	92.8424	89.5891	91.6254	95.9914	98.0194	101.906	107.137	105.498	109.212	110.168	110.199
Non-coking, middle grade (G7-G14 or imported)	96.5658	94.9803	94.1628	92.9152	96.1029	99.6243	98.0768	102.228	102.159	106.531	109.941	110.455
Non-coking, bottom grade (G15-G17)	75.3678	77.3909	73.272	76.9321	106.582	106.079	101.216	143.769	112.164	98.8324	139.499	139.499
Coking, top grade (STI-STII or imported)	103.13	104.727	104.985	90.7374	82.2476	88.3053	98.9904	101.533	98.0331	102.829	115.177	117.118
Coking, bottom grade (WI-WIV)	97.3548	98.1671	97.6157	94.1259	102.686	100.4	98.0371	102.885	102.464	101.821	102.061	105.12

National Coal Index (Base 2017-18) for the Financial year 2018-19

Price Channel	Apr'18	May'18	Jun'18	Jul'18	Aug'18	Sep'18	Oct'18	Nov'18	Dec'18	Jan'19	Feb'19	Mar'19
Indian coal	109.664	111.882	110.168	108.393	112.668	110.653	112.614	115.751	116.361	112.481	109.723	105.98
Non-coking	109.988	112.886	113.401	109.385	114.903	111.825	113.87	114.216	115.083	108.838	108.579	104.076
Coking	108.733	108.991	100.86	105.534	106.23	107.279	108.998	120.171	120.043	122.973	113.015	111.46
Non-coking, top grade (G1-G6 or imported)	111.649	109.914	115.445	117.33	116.464	118.198	124.338	119.351	116.975	118.524	118.939	102.688
Non-coking, middle grade (G7-G14 or imported)	109.383	113.99	112.496	106.732	114.391	109.893	110.612	112.343	114.317	105.607	105.125	104.691
Non-coking, bottom grade (G15-G17)	117.043	97.655	141.196	114.934	114.934	92.8512	92.8512	136.596	132.309	115.084	115.084	85.0854
Coking, top grade (STI-STII or imported)	110.696	110.187	100.684	105.816	105.283	107.618	108.902	121.22	119.057	122.306	113.041	110.716
Coking, bottom grade (WI-WIV)	100.914	104.226	101.561	104.41	110.003	105.931	109.382	115.995	123.971	125.628	112.91	114.425

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National Coal Index (Base 2017-18) for the Financial year 2019-20

Price Channel	Apr'19	May'19	Jun'19	Jul'19	Aug'19	Sep'19	Oct'19	Nov'19	Dec'19	Jan'20	Feb'20	Mar'20
Indian coal	107.10	106.68	105.84	105.64	104.32	103.00	101.84	100.13	99.24	98.90	100.18	99.97
Non-coking	106.98	103.95	105.03	104.19	102.83	103.68	104.40	103.22	102.25	103.29	103.14	102.74
Coking	107.45	114.54	108.18	109.78	108.60	101.04	94.47	91.26	90.59	86.27	91.63	92.02
Non-coking, top grade (G1-G6 or imported)	103.78	101.51	99.51	100.17	103.65	97.16	101.90	102.61	103.16	108.76	109.57	105.36
Non-coking, middle grade (G7-G14 or imported)	108.22	104.91	106.80	105.47	102.56	105.83	105.23	103.16	101.91	101.54	101.12	101.97
Non-coking, bottom grade (G15-G17)	85.09	85.09	109.62	109.62	103.37	103.37	103.37	134.17	106.50	97.34	92.52	91.45
Coking, top grade (STI-STII or imported)	107.41	113.01	107.35	107.23	105.83	97.02	89.03	85.49	82.43	78.31	83.22	83.69
Coking, bottom grade (WI-WIV)	107.61	120.62	111.46	119.97	119.64	117.04	116.15	114.25	123.11	117.98	125.14	125.17

National Coal Index (Base 2017-18) for the Financial year 2020-21

Price Channel	Apr'20	May'20	Jun'20	Jul'20	Aug'20	Sep'20	Oct'20	Nov'20	Dec'20	Jan'21	Feb'21	Mar'21
Indian coal	100.15	98.06	91.75	88.69	88.96	88.56	89.55	91.95	93.19	95.45	99.18	101.86
Non-coking	101.33	99.42	94.85	93.76	94.26	93.31	93.95	96.24	98.32	102.20	106.04	107.32
Coking	96.74	94.14	82.80	74.11	73.69	74.87	76.86	79.63	78.41	75.99	79.42	86.13
Non-coking, top grade (G1-G6 or imported)	100.31	97.70	90.80	91.83	91.47	88.61	93.71	96.36	100.55	107.20	113.90	107.61
Non-coking, middle grade (G7-G14 or imported)	101.78	100.09	96.25	94.47	95.22	94.85	94.09	96.24	97.67	100.68	103.61	107.36
Non-coking, bottom grade (G15-G17)	87.81	87.81	87.28	85.16	89.23	94.81	86.80	90.58	88.44	87.86	88.28	91.21
Coking, top grade (STI-STII or imported)	91.88	88.40	75.80	64.20	64.59	65.72	67.11	69.65	69.12	66.12	69.75	78.82
Coking, bottom grade (WI-WIV)	116.08	117.02	110.66	113.60	109.95	111.33	115.71	119.39	115.46	115.32	117.94	115.27

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National Coal Index (Base 2017-18) for the Financial year 2021-22

Price Channel	Apr'21
Indian coal	103.87
Non-coking	109.15
Coking	88.66
Non-coking, top grade (G1-G6 or imported)	110.23
Non-coking, middle grade (G7-G14 or imported)	108.96
Non-coking, bottom grade (G15-G17)	90.73
Coking, top grade (STI-STII or imported)	81.67
Coking, bottom grade (WI-WIV)	116.50

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Table B: Historical Values of Representative Prices

Grade	Mar'20	Apr'20	May'20	Jun'20	Jul'20	Aug'20	Sep'20	Oct'20	Nov'20	Dec'20	Jan'21	Feb'21	Mar'21	Apr'21
G1	8568	6323	6251	5906	5920	5940	5928	6024	6059	6216	6585	6906	6662	6765
G2	4549	4237	4167	3837	3850	3870	3858	3950	3983	4139	4493	4801	4567	4666
G3	4350	4022	3936	3636	3667	3711	3699	3820	3883	3964	4295	4567	4343	4473
G4	4401	3934	3848	3525	3617	3618	3608	3716	3773	3959	4245	4517	4241	4373
G5	4042	3772	3612	3358	3371	3371	3308	3512	3602	3748	3966	4322	4055	4166
G6	3651	3476	3370	3154	3039	3089	3044	3108	3289	3576	3728	4029	3753	3760
G7	2619	2591	2595	2495	2490	2452	2448	2473	2551	2571	2633	2737	2786	2725
G8	2485	2428	2436	2327	2304	2314	2278	2349	2394	2366	2443	2478	2527	2545
G9	2154	2081	2056	1975	1967	1936	1965	1977	1987	2042	2102	2140	2208	2211
G10	1975	1828	1855	1726	1781	1728	1676	1769	1871	1795	1883	1881	1925	2011
G11	1474	1480	1476	1408	1399	1386	1379	1399	1423	1432	1468	1521	1576	1593
G12	1369	1293	1288	1246	1225	1219	1222	1205	1256	1278	1312	1368	1413	1429
G13	1270	1268	1260	1210	1180	1186	1194	1195	1206	1227	1257	1303	1350	1359
G14	1098	1088	1072	1026	1002	1003	1005	992	1028	1045	1067	1118	1157	1176
G15	830	774	774	785	760	785	841	771	798	788	798	795	815	808
G16	723	603	603	629	603	813	754	665	724	616	629	616	672	627
G17	535	535	535	531	531	531	531	531	531	535	498	490	490	575
S1	10949	12046	11579	9893	8340	8393	8543	8730	9069	8998	8598	9084	10297	10678
S2	9942	10937	10513	8983	7573	7621	7757	7927	8235	8171	7807	8248	9349	9696
W1	5790	5790	5790	5790	5790	5790	5790	5790	5790	5790	5790	5790	5790	5790
W2	5156	5156	4839	4930	4427	4427	4427	4427	4763	4555	4555	4555	4555	4574
W3	4413	3873	3708	3604	4110	4247	4154	4012	4143	4155	4404	4186	3816	3758
W4	3180	3066	3074	2999	3023	3004	2973	3072	3134	3067	3073	3089	3070	3087

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