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Notice Inviting Tender

“Invitation of Bids for Allocation of Coal Mines to Companies engaged in Specified End Use-Iron & Steel, Cement and Captive Power Plants [excluding steel (coking)]”

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 (1) of the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Act, 2015 and in accordance with the Rule 8 of Coal Mines (Special Provisions), Rules, 2014, the Government of India has directed the Nominated Authority to undertake the **8th Tranche of Auction** of identified coal mines to eligible companies. Accordingly, Bids are invited in digital format only from eligible companies for short listing of Qualified Bidders. Qualified Bidders will be allowed to participate in the Auction for the coal mines to be held on date and time as provided in the Tender Document. Detailed Tender Document can be downloaded from the website of MSTC Limited (<http://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/coalblock/index.jsp>). Timelines for the Tender process have also been provided on the website of MSTC Limited.

The coal extracted from a mine can be only used for **Specified End Use** as mentioned in the Tender Document. Interested and eligible companies can register themselves on the above website. On successful registration, eligible companies will obtain Login ID and password necessary for participation in the Tender process. **Last date for purchase of Tender Document** after payment of a fee of Rs. 5,00,000 (Rs. Five Lakh only) per mine on MSTC Limited website is **13/09/2019**.

Last date for submission of Bid on MSTC Limited website is 1400 hours on **19/09/2019**. Bidders will not be allowed to submit their Bids beyond stipulated date and time. For any query/clarification kindly contact the Nominated Authority at contact details mentioned above in the Advertisement.