

# INSIGHTS

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## Business Operations

### 1. Two New Coal Blocks at Odisha:

GMDC has emerged as the highest bidder for two Coal Blocks in Odisha. Ministry of Coal had started forward auction for its 27 Blocks from February 27' 2023 after completion of technical evaluation. It is to be mentioned here that, the commercial auction process for 141 coal and lignite Mines was launched by Ministry of Coal in November 2022 and GMDC has submitted highest number of bids for 9 Blocks.

The two blocks won by GMDC are Burapahar & Baitarni West Coal Blocks, located in District Sundargarh & Angul respectively. The Geological reserve of Burapahar Block is estimated as 548 Million Tonne and 1152 Million Tonne in Baitarni West.



### 2. Agreement Signing Ceremony and Launch of 7th Tranche of Commercial Coal Mine Auctions by Ministry Of Coal at New Delhi:

In the August presence of Hon'ble Union Minister Rajnath Singh, Pralhad Joshi and Hon'ble MoS Raosaheb Patil Danve, Ministry of Coal has launched 7th round of Auctions for Commercial Mining of 106 blocks on 29.03.23 and also signed the agreements for Coal Blocks auctioned in the 6th round. Sh. Swagat Ray, General Manager (PP&D) & Sh. Devesh Srivastava DGM (Corporate Cordination) has attended the ceremony and received the agreement copy for Baitarni West & Burapahar Coal Blocks.





### 3. Site Visit by GMDC Officials to newly allotted Coal Blocks at Odisha:

GMDC is aggressively planning to develop the Coal Blocks in the time bound Manner. The management has constituted various teams to visit the Coal Blocks in Odisha led by Chief General Manager, Sr. General Managers & General Managers of various divisions of Corporate Office. Team will deliberate more details & will come up with better planning in the coming days.

## Our CSR: Connecting with the Society

### 1. Partnership with District Administration of Bharuch for “My Livable” Initiatives:

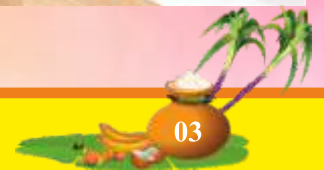
GMDC under its CSR has provided total fund contribution of Rs. 30 Lakhs for the upcoming “My Livable-Ankleshwar, Amod and Jambusar Initiatives”

The initiative intends to make residents happier than ever by increasing the happiness index of city.



### 2. Providing IT Equipments to SP Office, Bharuch:

To strengthen the IT infrastructure in the surrounding of GMDC’s operational area, GMDC under its CSR has provided Computer Sets and Printers to the SP Office Bharuch.



### 3. Providing IT Equipments at Various Offices near Lignite Project-Tadkeshwar:

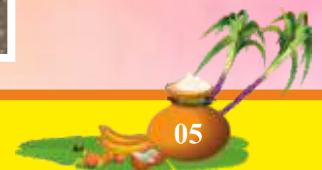
To strengthen the IT infrastructure in Schools & Offices around the GMDC's operational area, GMDC under its CSR has provided Computer Sets and printers to the Falahi High School, Tadkeshwar, Girls High School, Tadkeshwar , PHC Centre, Tadkeshwar , Gram panchayat Tadkeshwar and PI Office, Mandvi Police Station.



#### 4. Mobilization of Project Samarthya:

Village Level mobilization of Project Samarthya has been initiated in District Bharuch by ADS Foundation, one of the agencies deputed by GMDC for implementation of Project Samarthya.

Project Samarthya is an initiative by GMDC-GVT to provide training & employment to around 3000 Youths residing in the areas located nearby our operational sites. These trainings will be imparted in various fields viz, mining, capital goods, construction, electronics, green jobs, healthcare, logistics, tourism & hospitality.



## Our Presence

### 1. Bharat Darshan Tour of IAS probationers in SKVM:

Shyamji Krishna Verma Memorial, Mandvi is managed by GMDC Ltd. The place holds an important role in history of Freedom fight of India. Recently, the probationers of Indian Administrative Services (IAS) Group No. 4 had visited the memorial during their "Bharat Darshan Tour".

