

# ‘India can hit 300 mt a yr steel output by 2030’

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THE COUNTRY can achieve the target of 300 million tonnes (mt) per annum of steel production capacity by the year 2030, Minister of State for Coal and Mines Haribhai Parthibhai Chaudhary said at an event organised by NMDC. The country’s annual steel production capacity is around 100 million tonnes at present.

“We wish India to achieve the target of 300 million tonnes of production capacity of steel by 2030 and the Ministry of Mines will extend support for the same,” Chaudhary said at a seminar on Minerals and Metals – Outlook 2030 on Wednesday. Steel ministry officials said the government is trying to increase production through the Make in India initiative.

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