

Financial Assistance for Industries

†3121. SHRI BALWANT SINGH RAMOOWALIA :
SHRI KAPIL SIBAL :

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that financial assistance has been given for smooth operation of industries operating in public sector by Government during the last year;

(b) if so, the assistance given during the years 1996-97, 1997-98 and 1998-99 separately; and

(c) the year-wise rise in percentage of incremental profit by these industries during the said years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (DR. VALLABHBHAI KATHIRIA) : (a) and (b) The plan and non-plan assistance given by the Government to various Central Public Sector Undertakings (Revised Estimates) during 1996-97, 1997-98 and 1998-99 is indicated in Volume-I of the Expenditure Budgets for 1997-98, 1998-99 and 1999-2000 respectively, which are presented in the Parliament during Budget Session each year.

(c) The profitability of Central Public Sector Undertakings including those which got financial assistance has been indicated in Statement 6 of Volume I of Public Enterprises Survey 1998-99, which has been laid in Rajya Sabha on 15.3.2000 and is a published document.

Financial Condition of Industrial Establishments

†3122. SHRI RAJ MOHINDER SINGH :
DR. D. MASTHAN :

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that some industrial establishments in public sector are making profit whereas rest are running in loss ;

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