

- (ii) Education Loan - 5 days
- (iii) Car Loan - 2 days
- (iv) SME Loan - 8 days
- (v) Other Mortgage Loan - 6 days
- (vi) High value loans to corporates - 30-35 days

SBI has informed that normally the general public does not face difficulty in contacting the relevant official/ person in ascertaining the status of their loan application. They can also ascertain directly from the branches from where the proposal was sourced as well as from other marketing outposts.

Mid-career training programme for IRS (C&CE)

174. SHRI RAMA CHANDRA KHUNTIA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has a mandatory mid-career training programme for the IRS (C&CE) officers like in the case of all India services;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the names of officers from the IRS (C&CE) are being forwarded for post of Joint Secretary and above in the Central Ministries; and
- (d) the officers from which years of recruitment are being considered now?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI S. S. PALANIMANICKAM):

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Doesn't arise in view of (a) above.

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. The names of IRS (C&CE) Officers who send their willingness to hold the post of Joint Secretary and above at the Centre under the Central Staffing Scheme are forwarded to the Department of Personnel & Training for consideration of their case for selection against the post for which they are eligible. In the year 2010, IRS (C&CE) Officers of 1983 batch were considered for empanelment at the level of Joint Secretary.

Membership of financial action task force

175. DR. T. SUBBARAMI REDDY: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state: