Statement-II

Sectoral Share of Different Sectors in Gross Domestic Product (at factor cost)

Sectors					(in per cent)	
	1970-71	1980-81	1990-91	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000
Trade, hotels, restaurants	8.46	10.52	10.09	10.19	9.76	9.56
Transport, storage and Communication	4.16	4.10	4.83	5.23	5.16	5.09
Community, social and personal services	10.52	10.42	9.99	9.42	10.06	10.19
TOTAL:						

Source: National Accounts Division of Central Statistical Organisation

Sectoral Distribution of Employment

Sectors	NSS 32nd Round 1977-78	NSS 38th Round 1983	NSS 43rd Round 1987-88	NSS 50th Round 1993-94
Trade	6.3	6.8	7.3	7.92
Transport & Storage	2.1	2.7	2.78	3.07
Community and Financial Services	8.3	9.4	9.63	11.06

Note: 1993-94 is the latest estimate available

Development of Backward Districts

†608. SHRIMATI KUM KUM RAI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) the scheme formulated by Government for the development of backward districts in the Eighth and Ninth Plan; and
- (b) the measures taken or proposed to be taken by Government to sanction and release funds for the development of backward districts?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY IMPLEMENTATION. **STATISTICS** AND PROGRAMME DEPARTMENT STATE IN THE OF MINISTER OF ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS AND PUBLIC GRIEVANCES OF THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE

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DEPARTMENT OF DISINVESTMENT (SHRI ARUN SHOURIE): (a) and (b) Planning and development of an area and allocation of funds for the purpose are primarily the responsibility of the concerned State Government. However, the Central Government supplements the efforts of the State Governments through weightage for backwardness in the formula used for distribution of normal Central Assistance, Further, Special Central Assistance is allocated under Special Area Programmes such as Hill Areas Development Programme etc. to meet the special problems of designated areas. In addition certain other area programmes such as Drought Prone Area Programme (DPAP), Desert Development Programme (DDP) and Integrated Wastelands Development Project (IWDP) are in operation to mitigate the development problems of identified areas.

Sick SSI

609. PROF. M. SANKARALINGAM: SHRI ANANTA SETHI:

Will the Minister of SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES AND AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Small Scale Industries fallen sick as on 30th June, 2000, State-wise;
- (b) whether Government have a proposal to revive some of these sick units;
- (c) if so, whether any revival package has been formulated so far; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the steps taken to implement these revival packages?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES AND AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE): (a) As per the latest data compiled by the Reserve Bank of India, the number of sick small scale industries as at the end of March, 1999 was 3,06,221. The Statewise data on sick small scale industries as at the end of March, 1999 are given in the Statement. (See below)

(b) to (d) Yes, Sir. The Government is fully seized of the