

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:152
ANSWERED ON:13.03.2002
GOODS SUPPLIED BY SSIC
PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL

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

- (a) whether quality of goods supplied by the Small Scale Industries Corporation to the Government Officers has been deteriorating;
- (b) whether any complain has been received by the Government in this regard;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether inquiry has been conducted in this regard and if so, the findings thereof;
- (e) whether the Government propose to revise the list of goods being supplied by Small Scale Industries Corporation and industries under it; and
- (f) if so, whether the Government have consulted the State Governments in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING, DEPARTMENT OF PENSIONS AND PENSIONERS' WELFARE, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF ATOMIC ENERGY AND SPACE (SMT. VASUNDHARA RAJESWARAN)

(a) to (c): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.152 TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.03.2002

(a) No, Sir. It is clarified that there is no corporation in the name of Small Scale Industries Corporation.

However, the National Small Industries Corporation is a Public Sector Undertaking of the Government of India.

(b) No, Sir.

(c): Does not arise.

(d) Does not arise.

(e) & (f) Review and revision of the list of the items reserved for exclusive purchase from SSI is a continuous process. The Government of India maintains regular contact with the State Governments in this regard and revision is done in a need based manner.