

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3876
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LICENCE TO MNCs FOR MANUFACTURE OF CIGARETTES
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have given approval/licence to some multinational companies including M/s J.T. International Ltd. for the manufacture of cigarettes either as a joint venture company or as a subsidiary company; and

(b) if so, the details of the joint/subsidiary company, their capacity and shareholding of Indian/foreign partners ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI ANANDRAO V. ADSUL)

(a) and (b) : The information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the House.