

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1761
ANSWERED ON:05.12.2005
WITHDRAWAL OF TAXES AND CESS FROM F.P.I.
Mohite Shri Subodh

Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has decided to withdraw all the taxes and cess from Food Processing Industries (FPI) for next 15 years;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has formulated any plan to revive closed food processing units in the country especially in Maharashtra;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the financial assistance provided by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHAI)

- (a): No, Sir.
- (b): Does not arise.
- (c): No, Sir.
- (d) & (e): Do not arise.