

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1377

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‘INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT PROPOSALS FROM FIELD OFFICES PENDING BEFORE CBDT ‘

Naik Shri Shripad Yasso

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) The number of proposals pending with CBDT for provision of adequate infrastructure to its field offices and since when; {
- (b) the reasons for delay in sanctioning and executing these projects;
- (c) Whether the Welfare Funds for CBDT has been provided budgetary assistance in the year 2004-05 on the lines of CBEC; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) There are a total number of pending proposals relating to major works and hiring of premises since 1993 till date is 122.

(b) A large number of proposals are pending disposal on account of procedural technicalities regarding technical specifications, justification and essentiality of the projects involving the field offices and external agencies like the CPWD, Integrated Finance Unit of Ministry of Finance, Standing Finance Committee and Committee for Non-Plan Expenditure.

(c) No Sir. The proposal for providing budgetary assistance for the Welfare fund of the Central Board of Direct Taxes is presently under consideration.

{d) Not applicable