

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY  
LOK SABHA**

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INVESTMENT BY MNC IN BACKWARD DISTRICTS  
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**Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:**

(a) the details of investment made by the multinational companies in the backward districts of the country during the last three years and thereafter, project-wise; and

(b) the achievements made under these projects during the above period, project-wise?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY (SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR)

(a) & (b): Under the liberalised economic environment, investment decisions, including choice of location, are taken by the entrepreneurs based on their techno-economic judgements and consistent with the policy framework. No district-wise data is centrally maintained for investments by multinational companies.