

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2389
ANSWERED ON:23.07.2004
DILUTION OF EQUITY OF SBI
Patil Shri Prakash V.

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the Government has examined all the pros and cons before taking decision to withdraw its equity in the SBI;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government propose to review its decision; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

- (a)&(b): Government do not hold equity in SBI.
- (c)&(d): Do not arise.