

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
FINANCE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1555  
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TAX COLLECTION  
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**Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:**

- (a) the status of the tax-collection by the Government during the last three years;
- (b) whether it is a fact that Government has fixed an amended target of tax-collection during the current year;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the present status of the amended target of tax-collection?

**Answer**

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

(a) : The status of the tax-collection by the Government during the last three years is as under:

Rs. (In Crore)  
Financial Year Direct Taxes Indirect Taxes

2003-04	105088	148600
2004-05	132771	170936
2005-06	165208	201059 (Prov.)

(b) & (c) : The revised estimates of direct and indirect tax collections for 2006-07 would be fixed during the budget exercise for Budget 2007-08.

(d): The present status of tax collections is as follows:

Rs. (In Crore)  
Tax collection  
(April-October, 2006)

Customs	49216
Excise	60401
Service Tax	15971#
Direct Taxes	90018

# Collection figure for April-September, 2006.