GOVERNMENT OF INDIA INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2580 ANSWERED ON:05.12.2001 INCREASE IN EXPORT ASHOK NAMDEORAO MOHOL

Will the Minister of INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Electronic and Computer Software Export PromotionCouncil has registered an increase in the export of medical and office equipment during 2000-2001;

(b) if so, the comparative figures for the 1999-2000 and 2000-2001 in this regard;

(c) the amount of foreign exchange earned therefrom during the said period; and

(d) the target fixed for export of medical and office equipment for 2001-2002?

Answer

MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGYAND COMMUNICATIONS(SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN) (a): Yes, Sir. (b): The comparative figures of export of medical and office equipment during 1999-2000 and 2000-2001 are as under:-1999-2000 : Rs.122 crores

2000-2001 : Rs.341 crores

(c): Foreign exchange earned during 1999-2001 from the export of medical and office equipment is Rs.463 crores.

(d): The target fixed for export of Electronics hardware for 2001-2002, which includes export of medical and office equipment also, is Rs.12,430 crores.