

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6884  
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DATABASE SYSTEM BY SEBI  
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**Will the Minister of FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether Stock Exchange Board of India has plans to expand its database with the help of the National Share Depository Ltd.;
- (b) if so, the objectives of this database;
- (c) whether this database will be made public by SEBI;
- (d) if not, the reasons for keeping such information confidential; and
- (e) the steps proposed to bring about more transparency in such matters by SEBI?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI ANANDRAO V. ADSUL)

- (a) to (e): Information is being collected and will be placed on the table of the House.