

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3404
ANSWERED ON:13.03.2003
DETERMINING OF THE CREAMY LAYER IN OBC
RAGHURAJ SINGH SHAKYA

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the cut off figure was Rs. 1 lakh for determining creamy layer in 1993;
- (b) whether there is any provision to revise the said amount every year;
- (c) if so, the number of times this amount has been revised since then; and
- (d) if so, the stand of the Government in this regard along with details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE & EMPOWERMENT (DR. SANJAY PASWAN)

- (a) Yes, Sir.
- (b) No, Sir.
- (c) No revision in income ceiling has been made since 1993.
- (d) The Government of India has decided to constitute a Review Committee to revise the existing income ceiling. The constitution of the Committee is under process.