

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
FINANCE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2736  
ANSWERED ON:08.08.2003  
URBAN COOPERATIVE BANKS  
AMBATI BRAHMANAIAH

**Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government have considered a proposal to set up a fund to help urban cooperative banks to obtain short-term credit;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) by what date this fund is likely to become operational?

**Answer**

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

- (a): There is no proposal, at present, under consideration of the Government to set up a fund to help Urban Co-operative Banks.
- (b) and (c) : Do not arise in view of (a) above.