GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FINANCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:7901 ANSWERED ON:17.05.2002 EX POST FACTO APPROVAL UNDER THE FINANCIAL POWER RULES PRABHUNATH SINGH;RAMJI MANJHI

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is no provision for ex-post facto approval under the Delegation of Financial PowerRules but many of the ministries, departments and officers are reappropriating the funds and obtaining ex-post facto approval of the Ministry of Finance later on ``

(b) if so, the numbers of such cases which have come to light during the last three years; and

(c) the action taken thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF `FINANCE (SHRI GIN GEE N. RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) to (c): MinistriesIDepartments of the Central Government have been delegated full powers for, reappropriation of funds under Schedule IV of the Delegation of Financial Power Rules (DFPRs). Ministry of Finance's approval is required only when restrictions under Rule 10,ofDFPRs and Govt. of India's Decisions issued thereunder are attracted. In all such cases where these restrictions are attracted, the concerned Administrative Ministries are required to seek prior approval of this Ministry.