

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4239
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SUPPLY OF NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Press Information Bureau has discontinued the services of providing day- to-day newspaper clippings to various Ministries/Departments;
- (b) if so, since when it has been discontinued and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether there is any proposal to set up Public Relations Cells within the Ministries/Departments by completing disbanding the PIB; and
- (d) if so, the details in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING AND CULTURE (SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY)

- (a) No, Sir.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) No, Sir.
- (d) Does not arise.