

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
LOK SABHA**

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AUTONOMY TO PSEs
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Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Sengupta Panel on greater autonomy for Public Sector Enterprises (PSEs) has submitted its report to the Government;
- (b) if so, the salient features of the recommendations made thereon;
- (c) whether the Government has examined these recommendations made by the Sengupta Panel; and
- (d) if so, the steps being taken by the Government to implement them?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
(SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV)

(a) to (d): Yes, Sir. The Ad-hoc Group of Experts headed by Dr. Arjun Sengupta has submitted its report to the Government. The recommendations made in the report relate to ownership issues and powers of Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs), audit of Government companies, vigilance management in CPSEs, etc. The recommendations of the Group are under examination.