GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FINANCE LOK SABHA

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REVISION OF WAGES OF PUBLIC SECTOR INSURANCE COMPANIES
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that there is a long pending demand for revision of wages of employees in the four public sector General insurance Companies;
- (b) if so, the action taken by the Government thereon and the time by which the wage revision would be implemented; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL)

(a) to (c) The wage revision in respect of all employees belonging to Class-I, III and IV in the four public sector general insurance companies has been notified on 21st December, 2005. The same could not be done for Class-II employees because the concerned unions/associations of these employees did not agree to sign the agreement that was reached with other categories of employees. The General Insurers` (Public Sector) Association (GIPSA) has already held six rounds of meetings with the representatives of Class-II employees` unions/associations. The wage revision for Class II employees would be finalized as soon as the concerned unions/associations reach an agreement with GIPSA.