

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4870
ANSWERED ON:23.05.2006
ANGANWADI WORKERS
Shivanna Shri M

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Karnataka Government has urged the Union Government to continue with the sanctioned posts of Anganwadi workers;
- (b) if so, the reaction of the Government in this regard;
- (c) whether the State Government of Karnataka has also requested the Government to enhance the annual expenditure ceiling of the State ICDS cell and district ICDS cells; and
- (d) if so, the response of the Union Government in this matter?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY)

- (a) No, Sir.
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) Yes, Sir.
- (d) The Government of Karnataka has been requested to adhere to the existing annual financial ceiling on State Cell and District Cell.