

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA**

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PERMISSION TO MULTINATIONAL COMPANIES TO SELL FOOD ITEMS
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Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of Multinational Companies who have been permitted to sell food items in plastic pouches and cans;
- (b) the details of the contracts signed with them; and
- (c) the amount of investment made by these Multinational Companies?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHA)

(a) to (c): The Information regarding Multinational Companies which have been permitted to sell food items in plastic pouches and cans, the contract signed with them and the amount of investment made for this activity is not centrally maintained by this Ministry.