

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
FINANCE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:239  
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DAMAGE TO ATMs  
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**Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether a number of Automated Teller Machines (ATMs) got damaged due to recent floods in the Southern States;
- (b) if so, the estimated loss that occurred to the banking sector as a result thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken/likely to be taken by the Government in this regard?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

- (a) & (b): As per the information made available by Public Sector Banks details regarding damaged Automated Teller Machines (ATMs) due to recent floods in the Southern States and the estimated loss occurred to the banking sector are given at Annexure.
- (c): Banks have reported that steps have been taken to replace the damaged ATMs.