

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4931  
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COMMUTATION OF PENSION  
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**Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to withdraw the commutation facilities of Employees Provident Funds (EPF) pensioners;
- (b) if so, whether due to reduction of pension a substantial loss has occurred to pensioners;
- (c) if so, whether the Government also proposes to withdraw 'Return of Capital' (ROC) Scheme
- (d) if so, whether the Government is reconsidering such stands as requested by EPF pensioners;and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT(SHRI HARISH RAWAT)

- (a): Option for commutation of pension does not exist as on date.
- (b): In view of (a) above, the pensioner will receive full amount of pension and there is no reduction in pension.
- (c): Option for 'Return of Capital' (ROC) does not exist as on date.
- (d) & (e): There is no such proposal as on date.