

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4776
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WAIVER OF EXCISE ON SUGAR AND MOLASSES
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government has received requests from some of the State Governments for the waiver of excise duty on the sugar and molasses; and

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise and the response of the Central Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE(SHRI S.S. PALANIMANICKAM)

(a) No, Sir. No such request has been received during the last one year.

(b) Does not arise in view of (a) above.