GOVERNMENT OF INDIA PLANNING LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) the basis of evaluation of Gross Domestic Product (GDP);
- (b) the percentage share of agriculture sector, industrial sector and other sectors in the GDP; and
- (c) the share of the public sector and big industrial houses in the GDP during the last two years and the current year?

Answer

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- (a): The Gross Domestic Product (GDP) is computed by the Central Statistical Organisation(CSO) on the basis of data made available by various source agencies on different economic activities. The methodology for estimating GDP is contained in the CSO's publication of 'National Accounts Statistics Sources and Methods, 2007' and Brochure on 'New Series of National Accounts Statistics, Base Year 2004-05', which are also available in the public domain on the official website of the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation: www.mospi.nic.in. The methodology for estimation of GDP is overseen by the Advisory Committee on 'National Accounts Statistics'.
- (b): The percentage share of agriculture sector, industrial sector and other sectors is as given in the table below:

Table: Share of different sectors in total GDP at Factor Cost (at Current prices)

Share in total GDP (%)

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Industry 2007-08 2008-09 (QE) 2009-10 (AE)

1. agriculture, forestry & fishing 18.0 17.2 17.0

2. mining & quarrying 2.8 2.6 2.4

3. manufacturing 16.1 15.6 15.6

4. electricity, gas & water supply 1.8 1.7 1.6

5. construction 8.4 8.6 8.6
Industry (2+3+4+5) 29.1 28.5 28.2

6. trade, hotels, transport and communication 24.9 24.6 24.1

7 financing, insurance, real estate, business services 15.3 16.1 16.2
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8. community, social & personal services 12.7 13.8 14.6
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Services (6+7+8) 52.9 54.5 54.9

Source: CSO's Press Note on Advance Estimates of National Income, 2009-10 QE= Quick Estimates AE= Advance Estimates

(c): The GDP data on big industrial houses is not available separately. However, the share of public, private organized and private unorganized sectors in total GDP is as given below:

Table: Share of public, private organised and private unorganised sectors in total GDP (%)

Year 2004-05 2005-06 2006-07 2007-08 2008-09

Public Sector 23.0 21.5 20.8 20.2 20.8

Private organised 20.6 22.9 24.3 24.8 24.8

Private unorganised 56.4 55.6 54.9 55.1 54.4