

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1203  
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**Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has entered into a Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement (CEPA) with Sri Lanka;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has made any assessment/held discussions before entering into such a treaty with Sri Lanka;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the time-frame by which the treaty would come into effect?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JYOTIRADITYA M. SCINDIA)

- (a) No, Madam.
- (b) to (e) Does not arise.