

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4193  
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IMPOSITION OF ANTI-DUMPING DUTY ON EXPORTS  
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**Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:**

- (a) Whether the Ministry has recommended to the Finance Ministry for imposition of anti-dumping duty on imports of a chemicals from China used in household cleaning products;
- (b) If so, the details thereof; and
- (c) The manner in which it is likely to be beneficial for the consumers in the country?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI SRIKANT KUMAR JENA)

(a, b & c): Caustic Soda is one of the chemicals used in household cleaning products. Government has imposed anti-dumping duty on import of Caustic Soda from China. Anti-dumping duty protects the domestic producers from cheaper imports.