GOVERNMENT OF INDIA PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:313 ANSWERED ON:10.11.2010 CBI COURT Sampath Shri Anirudhan

Will the Minister of PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there have been demands for the establishment of Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) courts in the State capitals where such courts do not exist;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the action taken on the request for the establishment of a Bench of CBI in Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala;
- (d) whether there has been an increase in the number of cases enquired by CBI and the charge sheets filed during the last three years; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

Answer

Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Science and Technology; Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Earth Sciences; Minister of State in the Prime Minister's Office; Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs (SHRI PRITHVIRAJ CHAVAN)

- (a) & (b): On a reference from former Chief Justice of India, the Central Government has decided to set up 71 additional Special Courts exclusively for trial of CBI cases in various States. A statement showing location-wise and state-wise details of these Courts is annexed.
- (c): The necessary sanction order for setting up of Special Court at Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala has been issued on 09.09.2010.
- (d) & (e): The number of cases investigated by CBI and the charge sheets filed during the last 3 years are as under:

Year No of Cases No. of charge investigated sheet filed

2007 940 851 2008 991 843 2009 1119 806 2010 803 592 (upto September, 2010)

The State-wise information is not maintained centrally.