GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FINANCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4675 ANSWERED ON:07.08.2009 DECREASE IN REVENUE Balram Shri P.

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government revenue is being decreased as per the economic survey;
- (b)if so, the details thereof compared to last three years, State-wise and scheme-wise; and
- (c)the steps being taken to increase the income of the Government for the current Five Year Plan?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE(SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

- (a) Economic Survey 2008-09 detailing the fiscal developments in Chapter 3 (Para 3.36) had indicated that while revenue from Union excise duty, customs and non-tax sources declined by 12.0 per cent, 4.1 per cent and 5.3 per cent respectively in 2008-09 (over 2007-08), there was an increase of 0.5 per cent in Union Government revenue receipts. Besides, the Economic Survey 2008-09 had also given the Budget Estimates of 28 states, which also indicated an increase in revenue receipts.
- (b) and (c) Does not arise.