

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA**

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ADB FUND FOR INDIA
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a proposal to raise Asian Development Bank (ADB) fund of 1 billion US dollars for India is under consideration of the Government of India;
- (b) if so, the status thereof;
- (c) whether objection to such funds/loans has been raised by any entity/ country; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and steps taken or proposed to be taken thereon?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): The lending pipeline for the years 2011-13 has been tentatively finalized with the ADB during the recently concluded Country Programming Mission. The pipeline aims at a lending size of around US\$ 2.4 billion during the years 2011-13.

(c)&(d): No Madam.