

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
FINANCE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1748  
ANSWERED ON:19.11.2010  
NUMBER OF TAX-PAYERS  
Jagannath Dr. M.

**Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether there is an increase in the number of tax-payers during 2009-10 from the previous year;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the amount of revenue increased as a result of increase in the number of tax payers?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE

- (a) & (b) Yes, Madam. The total number of effective assesseees as on 31st March are as under:

Total number of effective assesseees

2008-09    3,26,50,627

2009-10    3,40,85,426

- (c) Separate data regarding the amount of revenue increased as a result of increase in number of tax-payers is not maintained.