GOVERNMENT OF INDIA COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:418 ANSWERED ON:23.02.2011 FINANCIAL SERVICES THROUGH MOBILE Paranjpe Shri Anand Prakash

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the delivery of basic financial services using mobile network has been implemented;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the details of telephone operators and banks having tie-up for promoting the services;
- (d) whether the tariff has been fixed for giving the services on mobile; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI SACHIN PILOT)

(a) to (c) Madam. The information is being collected and shall be laid on the table of the House.

(d) & (e) Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI) has issued a Consultation Paper on issues arising out of provisioning and delivery of basic financial services using mobile phones in the context of pricing of services by mobile service providers on 25.01.2011.