

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2548
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DEPOSIT SCHEME FOR SENIOR CITIZENS
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has initiated a new Deposit Scheme for the senior citizens;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to keep interest earned from this scheme free from the Income Tax provisions; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

- (a): No, Sir.
- (b) to (d): Does not arise in view of reply to (a) above.