GOVERNMENT OF INDIA COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1194 ANSWERED ON:08.08.2011 TRADE AGREEMENT WITH BANGLADESH Ahir Shri Hansraj Gangaram;Patil Shri A.T. Nana

Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has allowed the duty free import of fruits, vegetables, spices and other agro-products from Bangladesh;
- (b) if so, the details of the duty-free commodities imported from Bangladesh, commodity-wise and value-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has assessed the net impact of such import on the domestic producers and the net loss to the exchequer as a result of removal of import duty on these products;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) whether any conditions have been imposed on the exporters of these commodities from Bangladesh by the Government of India and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JYOTIRADITYA M. SCINDIA)

a) to e): Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.