GOVERNMENT OF INDIA COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1216 ANSWERED ON:08.08.2011 QUALITY OF IMPORTED DRUGS Nahata Smt. P. Jaya Prada;Shekhar Shri Neeraj;Singh Shri Yashvir

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

(a) the details of exporters of bulk drugs to India;

(b) whether more than forty-five percent of the bulk drug exporters registered in India are from China and India is the largest importer of Chinese bulk drugs;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the details of the total value of bulk drugs imported from various countries during the last three years, year-wise and country-wise?

Answer

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

(a) : The number of bulk drugs manufacturing sites registered with the Office of Drugs Controller General (India) during the last three years is 327.

(b): Yes, Madam.

(c): The details of the manufacturing sites registered are attached as Annexure -1.

(d): Country-wise data of import of bulk drugs during the years 2007-08 to 2009-10 is attached as Annexure - 2.