GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FINANCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3972 ANSWERED ON:26.08.2011 `FUNDING FOR INFRASTRUCTURE PROTECTS` Gaddigoudar Shri P.C.;Reddy Shri K. Jayasurya Prakash

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government planning to raise over \$ 300 billion through long-term debt to fill the gap in funding for infrastructure projects in the 12th Plan period; and

(b) if so, the details worked out so far, State-wise?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance (Shri Namo Narayan Meena)

(a) & (b): The need for funds for infrastructure projects is assessed from time to time and necessary steps, as per the changing situation; are continuously taken to fill the gap.