

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA**

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LIBERALISATION OF FDI POLICY
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are contemplating to liberalise the Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) policy to attract investment in the infrastructure sector; and

(b) if so, the complete details in this regard?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance (SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

(a) to (b): Government has put in place an investor friendly policy on FDI, under which FDI, upto 100%, under the automatic route, is permitted in most sectors/ activities, including infrastructure sectors. The policy is reviewed on an ongoing basis, through a consultative process, with a view to increasing its investor-friendliness.