

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:99
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FAKE BRANDED ITEMS
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Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that the production and sale of fake branded items has been rising throughout the country;
- (b) if so, whether any estimate has been made to assess the loss to Government revenue due to this malpractice;
- (c) if so, the details thereof during each of the last three years; and
- (d) the measures being taken by the Government to check production and sale of such items in the country?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K. V. THOMAS)

- (a) to (d): The information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the House.