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

STARRED QUESTION NO:375 ANSWERED ON:20.12.2011 GROWTH OF RETAIL SECTOR Singh Shri Bhola;Thakur Shri Anurag Singh

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

- (a) the share of the organised and the unorganised sectors in the retail trade in the Gross Domestic Product of the country at present;
- (b) whether the performance of these sectors has shown any increase during the last three years and the current year;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the retail sector has undergone modernisation during the said period; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) to (e): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO REPLY OF PARTS (a) TO (e) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 375 FOR 20.12.2011 REGARDING RETAIL TRADE FOR 20.12.2011

(a) to (e): Gross Domestic Product (GDP) accounted by the trade sector as per National Accounts Statistics 2011, has increased at current prices from Rs. 7,04,553 crores in 2007-08 to Rs. 9,13,514 crores in 2009-10. However, no separate data for retail trade is centrally maintained.