GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FINANCE LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:64
ANSWERED ON:25.11.2011
INFUSING CAPITAL TO PSBS
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government has infused funds to bolster the capital base of the public sector banks (PSBs);
- (b) if so, the details thereof for each of the last three years, bank-wise;
- (c) whether the Capital Adequacy Ratio (CAR) / capital reserves of many PSBs have declined as recently reported by certain global rating agencies, including Moody's;
- (d) if so, the details thereof, agency-wise, bank-wise for each of the last three years and current year; and
- (e) the other steps taken / measures proposed to be taken by the Union Government in this direction?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE)

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

STATEMENT FOR LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO/64 FOR 25th in NOVEMBER, 2011 REGARDING INFUSING CAPITAL TO PSBs TABLED BY SHRI ABDUL RAHMAN AND SHRI ANANTKUMAR HEGDE

- (a): Yes, Sir. In order to enable the Public Sector Banks (PSBs) to maintain a minimum Tier I CAR (Capital Adequacy Ratio) of 8% and also to raise the holding of Government of India in all PSBs to 58%, Government has infused capital in the PSBs during the financial year 2010-11.
- (b): The bank-wise details of capital infusion for the last three years is as undents. In crore)
- S.No. Name of the bank 2008-09 2009-10 2010-11
- 1 Allahabad Bank NIL NIL 670
- 2 Andhra Bank NIL NIL 1173
- 3 Bank of Baroda NIL NIL 2461

Bank of India NIL NIL 1010



(d) & (e): Government is fully committed to keep the Public Sector Banks adequately capitalized.