GOVERNMENT OF INDIA COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1594 ANSWERED ON:30.11.2011 TRANSFER OF EMPLOYEES Bali Ram Dr. :Mithlesh Shri

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a large number of employees under the various Departments and Public Sector undertakings in the ministries are working for years on sensitive posts in one place;
- (b) if so, the number of employees under the Departments / PSUs who have not been transferred for 7 years or more and the steps taken by the Government to transfer these employees;
- (c) whether long stay of employees in one post/place has resulted in rampant corruption in these Departments / PSUs;
- (d) if so, the number of such employees against whom investigation for corruption are undertaken by Vigilance Departments, Central Vigilance commission and Central Bureau of Investigation;
- (e) whether the government proposes to close those corruption cases for which the competent authority has not given its approval; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefore?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI SACHIN PILOT)

(a)and(b): No, Sir. There are few employees both Gazetted and Non-Gazetted in the Department of Information Technology who have been working on sensitive posts as defined by CVC.

The reasons for not transferring them are that some S&T officers possess specialization / expertise and are looking after the work of specialized nature and there are certain isolated posts. The isolated posts in the Department are filled up as per the recruitment rules of the posts. Some officers by virtue of holding these isolated posts are holding them for longer period as it is not possible to post other officers.

(c): No such specific case has been noticed.

(d)to(f): Do not arise.

The information in respect of Department of Telecommunications and Department of Posts is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.