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CONTRIBUTION OF SERVICE SECTOR IN GDP

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Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the contribution of service sector to Gross Domestic Product (GDP) of the
- (c) whether this increase in Service Sector is the result of increasing opportunities of services
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) the contribution of service, industry and agriculture sectors to the Gross Domestic Product
- (f) the share of manpower available in the country to all of the above mentioned sectors during the said period?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR PLANNING, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY AND EARTH SCIENCE (DR. ASHWANI KUMAR)

(a) to (f): Yes, Madam. The share of service sector in the Gross Domestic Product (GDP) at current prices has increased from 43.8% in 1990-91 to 55.3% in 2010-11. The share of agriculture has declined from 29.3% to 18.5% during the same period, while the share of manufacturing sector has remained more or less stable within the range of 15% to 17% up to 2007-08 and declined to about 14.28% thereafter. The details regarding the contribution of agriculture, manufacturing and service sector to GDP during last two decades are given in Annexure-I.

One of the factors driving expansion of service sector in the country has been increased opportunities of services abroad due to globalization as reflected in the gradual increase in the export of services as a percent of GDP from 1.6% in 1990-91 to 6.8% in 2009-10.

The share of workers distributed across agriculture, industry and services sector in the Rural and urban areas the years 2004-05 and 2009-10 is given in Annexure-II.