

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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MNCS IN FPIS

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Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of Multi-National Companies (MNCs) which have set up food processing units in the country, Statewise and location-wise;
- (b) the number of licences issued to MNCs to set up food processing units during the last two years;
- (c) the average annual turnover of food processing industry in the country and the average annual growth rate on the turnover during the last three years; and
- (d) the share of small and medium scale industries in this sector?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (DR. CHARAN DAS MAHANT)

- (a) & (b): The data on setting up of Food Processing Units by Multi-National Companies (MNCs) and the number of licences issued to MNCs to set up food processing units are not centrally maintained by Ministry of Food Processing Industries. As per Annual Survey of Industries (2007-08) there were 26,221 registered food processing units in the country. Details are given at Annexure- I.
- (c): As per the latest data available, the value of output for registered food processing industries was Rupees 4,46,701 crores in 2009-10 and the average annual growth rate for the period 2007-08 to 2009-10 was 16.34 % (Source: Annual Survey of Industries).
- (d): Data on share of Small and Medium Scale Industries in this sector is not centrally maintained by the Ministry of Food Processing Industries. However, the latest data on share of un-registered food processing industries in the GDP of food processing was 33.5% in 2009-10 (Source: National Accounts Statistics 2011).