

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
LOK SABHA**

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INTEREST RATE ON EPF  
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**Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to increase the rate of interest of Employees Provident Fund (EPF); and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF LABOUR & EMPLOYMENT (SHRI MALLIKARJUN KHARGE)

(a)&(b): No, Madam. The Central Government has already approved to credit interest @ 8.25% to the account of each members of the Employees Provident Fund for the financial year 2011-12.