GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FINANCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1959 ANSWERED ON:17.07.2009 SHARE OF STATES IN SERVICE TAX Ahir Shri Hansraj Gangaram

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the mode /pattern of distribution of revenues between the States and the Union Government collected on account of service tax;
- (b) whether some of the States have raised objections to the manner in which this tax is distributed;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the action taken or proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

(a): The pattern of distribution of Service Tax between State Governments and Union Government and among States are based on the recommendation of the Twelfth Finance Commission(TFC). Presently, Service tax is not leviable in the State of Jammu & Kashmir, and its proceeds are, therefore, not assignable to this State. Share of States, as recommended by TFC, is as under:

State Share (%) State Share (%)

Andhra Pr. 7.453 Manipur 0.367
Arunachal Pr. 0.292 Meghalaya 0.376
Assam 3.277 Mizoram 0.242
Bihar 11.173 Nagaland 0.266
Chhattisgarh 2.689 Orissa 5.229
Goa 0.262 Punjab 1.316
Gujarat 3.616 Rajasthan 5.683
Haryana 1.089 Sikkim 0.230
Himachal Pr. 0.529 Tamilnadu 5.374
Jharkhand 3.405 Tripura 0.433
Karnataka 4.518 Uttar Pr. 19.517
Kerala 2.700 Uttarakhand 0.952
Madhya Pr. 6.799 W.Bengal 7.150
Maharashtra 5.063

- (b): No suggestion or objection has been received in the Ministry of Finance.
- (c) & (d): Do not arise.