

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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TRADE FAIRS IN NEW DELHI

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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of various exhibitions and international trade fairs organised in Pragati Maidan at Delhi during each of the last three years;
- (b) the total expenditure incurred in organising these exhibitions and international trade fairs;
- (c) the details of the income earned by the Government therefrom;
- (d) whether any irregularities have been reported in the sale of tickets including the sale of fake tickets during the Auto Expo held in Delhi recently;
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government in the matter;
- (f) whether the Government has organised/proposal to organise exhibitions/ international trade fairs and the auto expo in various parts of the country; and
- (g) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JYOTIRADITYA M. SCINDIA)

- (a) The list of fairs organized by ITPO along with income occurred to ITPO & expenditure incurred by ITPO is attached as Annexure I to III. The list of fairs organized by third parties and income occurred to ITPO is attached as Annexure IV to VI.
- (b) Total expenditure incurred by ITPO from 2009-10 to 2011-12 is included in Annexure I to III. In case of third parties fair, the expenditure is incurred by parties themselves. There is no information available with ITPO.
- (c) Income earned by ITPO is included in Annexure I to VI.
- (d) & (e) There was no irregularity/fake ticket noticed in respect of sale of ticket during Auto Expo held in Delhi recently.
- (f) ITPO has been successfully organizing India International Leather Fairs at Chennai and Kolkata every year. In addition, ITPO is also planning to organize regional editions of Aahar – The International Food & Hospitality Fair at Chennai and Bangalore, Arogya at Mumbai and Chennai and Auto Ancillary Show at Pune. Auto Expo is organized by Confederation of Indian Industry and not by ITPO.
- (g) Details of events organized by ITPO during 2011-12 have been given in Annexure-VII/A. The details of events tentatively proposed to be organized by ITPO during 2012-13 have been given in Annexure-VII/B.