GOVERNMENT OF INDIA INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:749 ANSWERED ON:14.08.2012 ALLOCATION FOR ADVERTISEMENTS Siddeswara Shri Gowdar Mallikarjunappa

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) the quantum of the advertisement budget allocated/released by the Government/Directorate of Advertising and Visual Publicity (DAVP) during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (b) the percentage share and value share in terms of rupees allocated to English newspapers, Hindi newspapers and other vernacular newspapers; and
- (c) the break-up of the share of publications during the said period, State-wise and language-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING (SHRI C.M. JATUA)

(a) Expenditure of print media advertisement budget of DAVP during last three years and current year is as under:

Financial year Expenditure (Released) in Rs.

2009-10 304,96,73,008

2010-11 356,78,89,988

2011-12 375,31,49,292

2012-13 (Upto 13/08/2012) 99,30,73,833

As far as Expenditure on AV advertisements and advertisement on other media are concerned, the information is being compiled and will be laid on the Table of the House.

- (b) The percentage share and value share in terms of rupees allocated to English newspapers, Hindi Newspapers and other vernacular newspapers are given at Annexure-I.
- (c) The break-up of the share of publications during the said period, State-wise are given at Annexure-II. The language-wise share is already given in Annexure-I in reply to part (b) of the Question.