GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CULTURE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3704 ANSWERED ON:04.09.2012 COMPLAINTS OF CVC Patel Shri Bal Kumar

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has received a number of complaints from the Central Vigilance Commission (CVC) for investigation and report;

(b) if so, the details thereof during each of the last three years;

(c) whether there has been a enormous delay in investigation and reporting to CVC; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION AND MINISTER OF CULTURE (KUMARI SELJA)

(a) Yes, sir.

(b) Six complaints alleging irregularities in awarding contract/tender process & corruption were received in 2010. One complaint regarding unauthorized construction at Bijai Mandal, Delhi, a Centrally Protected Monument and two complaints alleging irregularities in purchase of books and misuse of official power have been received in the year 2011 and 2012 respectively.

(c & d) Out of 9 complaints received in the Ministry during the last three years, the reports in respect of 2 complaints have been furnished to CVC in time. As regards the other complaints, Ministry has not been able to furnish the comments/reports to CVC in time, as these complaints pertain to the attached/subordinate and autonomous organizations under the administrative control of the Ministry. These complaints have to be examined/investigated by the organizations and hence there is some delay.