

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4001

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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has issued new guidelines seeking more details from the Government officers for tours abroad while seeking mandatory clearance from the Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether these guidelines would also cover officers from all the States;and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

- (a) No new guidelines have been issued by Ministry of Finance requiring Government officers to give more details on their tours abroad at the time of seeking mandatory clearance from the Government.
- (b) to (d) In view of (a) above, the questions do not arise.