GOVERNMENT OF INDIA SPACE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1984 ANSWERED ON:05.12.2012 ADVANCES FOR NRSCs Patel Shri Bal Kumar

Will the Minister of SPACE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether National Remote Sensing Centre continues to receive advances for special projects inspite of substantial amount of funds remaining unutilised;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether there has been a mismanagement of funds and total lack of monitoring of projects; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the corrective measures taken/proposed to be taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PG & PENSIONS AND IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE(SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY):

- (a) & (b) No, Sir. Since National Remote Sensing Centre (NRSC) has become a government entity on 01.09.2008, it receives only budget authorization for special projects of Department of Space.
- (c) No, Sir.
- (d) Does not arise.