GOVERNMENT OF INDIA COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:91 ANSWERED ON:04.03.2013 IMPORT OF CASHEW Muttemwar Shri Vilas Baburao

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

(a) the total quantity of cashew produced, imported and exported during each of the last three years and the current year;

(b) whether there have been instances of inflow of under-invoiced processed cashew kernels from Vietnam and other countries;

(c) if so, the details thereof along with the total loss of revenue caused to the Government as a result thereof during the said period;

(d) whether the Government proposes to take any specific action in the matter including recovering the actual import duty from such importers and levy penalty on the defaulters; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI ANAND SHARMA)

a) to e): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.