GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FINANCE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6080 ANSWERED ON:03.05.2013 TAXES FROM THE CORPORATES Singh Shri Sushil Kumar

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether only 42800 persons admitted to having a taxable income of Rs. 1 crore per year and if so, the details thereof;

(b) the percentage and real figures of the number of Indian corporate houses that are owned and controlled by the family members;

(c) whether the aforementioned group of individuals come in the bracket of the super rich on whom the surcharge has been levied and if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) whether there is a separate statutory corporate tax rate for corporates that earn more than Rs.500 crores and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI NAMONARAIN MEENA)

(a) As per data pertaining to e-filed returns for Assessment Year 2012-13 (filed upto 30.11.2012), total 42,789 non-corporate assesses disclosed returns above Rs.I crore.

(b) & (c) :No Centralized data is maintained pertaining to `the percentage and real figures of the number of Indian corporate houses that are owned and controlled by the family members`, on case to case basis.

(d) No such provision is present in the Income Tax Act, 1961.