

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2723  
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ASSESSMENT OF TRADE DEALS BY C & AG  
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**Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government proposes to mandate the Comptroller and Auditor General (C&AG) to undertake assessment of the economic impact of trade deals, including the Free Trade Agreement (FTA) with the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN); and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JYOTIRADITYA M. SCINDIA)

a): No, Madam.

b): Does not arise.