# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2589 ANSWERED ON:05.08.2015 My Stamp Scheme Kateel Shri Nalin Kumar

#### Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of personalised postage stamps under "my stamp" scheme printed so far along with the revenue earned as a result thereof, State-wise;
- (b) whether the facility is extended to all post offices in the country;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the action taken by the Government to extend the scheme in all post offices?

#### **Answer**

### THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD)

- (a) The number of personlised postage stamps under " My stamp" scheme printed so far is 18,16,000 and the state wise revenue earned is as per Annexure-I.
- (b) No, Madam.
- (c) & (d) My Stamp scheme was first introduced in India during the World Philatelic Exhibition, 'INDIPEX-2011' on trial basis by the Department of Posts. The enthusiastic response of stamp lovers prompted Department of Posts to extend the scheme to cover all Postal Circles. This scheme is now available in selected Philatelic Bureaux and counters/Important Post offices/Post Offices. Further, every year funds are allocated to all the Postal Circles for opening new My Stamp Counters subject to public demand and justification and availability of resources.

Annexure-I

## IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2589 TO BE ANSWERED ON 5th AUGUST, 2015

- SI. No. Name of the state Revenue Generated in Rs.
- 1 Andhra Pradesh 3970930
- 2 Arunachal Pradesh 0
- 3 Assam 6900
- 4 Bihar 1873110
- 5 Chhattisgarh 221400
- 6 Gujarat 2492970
- 7 Haryana 86700
- 8 Himachal Pradesh 124200
- 9 J & K 8920200
- 10 Jharkhand 207900
- 11 Karnataka 2533500
- 12 Kerala 4908480
- 13 Madhya Pradesh 295830
- 14 Maharashtra 4284600
- 15 Goa 272700
- 16 Manipur 21840
- 17 Meghalaya 16800
- 18 Mizoram 0
- 19 Nagaland 0
- 20 Tripura 1560
- 21 Orissa 186600
- 22 Punjab 477900
- 23 Rajasthan 963810
- 24 Sikkim 2160
- 25 Tamil Nadu 5420880
- 26 Telangana 2497680
- 27 Uttar Pradesh 1980300
- 28 Uttarakhand 114900
- 29 West Bengal 1253400

30 Delhi (NCT) 2583870

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