

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2220
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MEETING WITH INDUSTRY CHAMBERS
Ram Mohan Naidu Shri Kinjarapu

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

- (a) whether the Government has recently held a meeting with various Chambers of Industry to devise ways and means to step up investment and to remove the bottlenecks impeding the investment climate in the country, particularly in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the views put forth/suggestions made by the Industry Chambers in the said meeting; and
- (d) the response of the Government thereto?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRIMATI NIRMALA SITHARAMAN)

- (a) & (b): Yes, Madam. A meeting was held on 28th November, 2014 with various Chambers of Industry to devise ways and means to step up investment and to remove the bottlenecks impeding the investment climate in the country. However, no specific state was discussed in the meeting.
- (c): Representatives of Industry Chambers have made several suggestions relating to simplification of procedure, rationalization of laws, predictability of tax regime and streamlining inspection process.
- (d): The Government is in the process of enabling ease of doing business through an ongoing process of e-enablement, single window system, and simplification of rules and procedures.