GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FINANCE LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of amount invested by Foreign Institutional Investors (FIIs) in the country during 2013;
- (b) whether a large amount of money have been invested by Flls in Indian stock market during the last few months of the current year;
- (c) if so, the details therefor and
- (d) the corrective precautionary measures taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JAYANT SINHA)

- (a): Total net investments (equity and debt) made by Foreign Institutional Investors (Flls)/ Foreign Portfolio Investors (FPls) in India during the financial year 2013-14 is Rs. 51,649 crores.
- (b)&(c): Total net investments (equity and debt) made by Flls/ FPls in the India during the financial year 2014-15 (till November 27, 2014) is Rs.184,757Crore The quantum of net investments (equity and debt) made by (Flls)/ (FPls) in the India during the first two quarters of the financial year 2014-15 is as follows:

(d): As per the new SEBI FPI Regulations, 2014 the individual and aggregate investment limits for the Registered Foreign Portfolio Investors (RFPIs) shall be below 10% (per cent) or 24% (per cent) respectively of the total paid-up equity capital or 10% (per cent) or 24% (per cent) respectively of the paid-up value of each series of convertible debentures issued by an Indian company. Further, RFPI investments are subject to composite sectoral cap under the FDI policy.