

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS

RAJYA SABHA

QUESTION NO 21.04.2010

ANSWERED ON

FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO KERALA FOR STATE TRANSPORT UNDERTAKINGS .

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Shri M.P. Achuthan

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS be pleased to state :-

(a) Whether the Kerala Government has requested the Central Government to provide financial support by way of subsidy, low interest finances from Central funding agencies, exemption of excise duty for diesel and vehicle purchases etc. for the State Transport Undertakings; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and Government's reaction thereto?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI MAHADEO SINGH KHANDELA)

(a) No such proposal has been received in this Ministry from Kerala Government in the recent past.

(b) Does not arise in view of (a) above.