

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 538
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25TH July, 2023**

Foreign Investment in Odisha

**538. SMT. SULATA DEO:
SHRI NIRANJAN BISHI:**

Will the Minister of Finance be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of foreign investment received by public-private partnerships for infrastructure projects, State-wise during the last two years;
- (b) the number of public-private partnership that have benefited from the same in the State of Odisha; and;
- (c) the number of employment opportunities generated as a result thereof?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN MINISTRY OF FINANCE
(SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY)**

(a to c) Data regarding foreign investment received by public-private partnerships for infrastructure projects and its impact on employment opportunities generated is not maintained centrally. Project financing in public-private partnerships is arranged by the private concessionaire and foreign investment therein (if any) supplements the domestic capital and brings technology and skill. Foreign investment also has indirect multiplier effects thereby stimulating economic growth leading to employment generation.