GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3097 TO BE ANSWERED ON 5.12.2016

WAGE CEILING

3097. SHRI ANTO ANTONY: PROF. SAUGATA ROY:

Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a)whether the Government proposes to increase the wage ceiling under Employees' Provident Fund and Miscellaneous Provision (EPF & MP) Act;
- (b)if so, the details thereof;
- (c)whether the Employees' Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO) has submitted any representation to the Government in this regard; and
- (d)if so, the details thereof and the response of the Government thereto?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE(IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA)

(a) to (d): A proposal for increase in the wage ceiling from Rs.15,000/-per month to Rs. 25,000/-per month for coverage under the Employees' Provident Funds & Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 has been submitted by Employees' Provident Fund Organization (EPFO). No decision in this regard has been taken.
