# Government of India Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution Department of Consumer Affairs

#### LOK SABHA

### **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5230**

#### TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.03.2018

#### **REVAMPING THE CONSUMER PROTECTION LAW**

5230. SHRI E.T. MOHAMMED BASHEER:

# Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government wish to revamp the consumer protection law to meet the new challenges; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

#### ANSWER

## उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण राज्य मंत्री (श्री सी. आर. चौधरी)

#### THE MINISTER OF STATE CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI C. R. CHAUDHARY)

(a) & (b): Keeping in view the changes that have taken place in the market since the enactment of the Consumer Protection Act 1986, the Government decided to modernize the 31 year old consumer protection legislation to meet the new challenges and introduced the Consumer Protection Bill, 2018 in the Lok Sabha on 05.01.2018.

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