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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5977 TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.04.2018

REVAMPING OF CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT

5977. 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 proposes to revamp the Consumer Protection Act in the light of 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 modernise the 31 year old consumer protection legislation to meet the new challenges and introduced the Consumer Protection Bill, 2018 in the Lok Sabha on 5.1.2018.
