

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF PLANNING**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3548  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.01.2019**

**ROADBLOCK IN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

**3548. SHRI RADHESHYAM BISWAS:**

Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether corruption is a major roadblock in the way of economic development of the country; and
- (b) if so, the reaction of the Government in this regard;

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING  
AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS**

**(RAO INDERJIT SINGH)**

- (a) and (b): The Government of India has a zero tolerance policy against corruption.

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