GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FINANCE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4181

TO BE ANSWERED ON MONDAY, MARCH 27, 2023 / CHAITRA 6, 1945 (SAKA)

TAX PAYERS IN OLD AND NEW REGIME

4181. SHRI Y.S. AVINASH REDDY: SHRI KOMATI REDDY VENKAT REDDY: SHRI MANNE SRINIVAS REDDY:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any details of the tax payers in old regime and new regime also who are filing income tax returns and deducting their tax in the country since 2012 onwards to till date and if so, the details thereof, Government/private, employee-wise; and:
- (b) whether the Government is giving any incentive or any type of benefit to tax payers in the country and if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE

(SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY)

- (a). The details of number of Govt. Employees filing income tax returns and total taxpayers for Financial Year (FY) 2012-13 to FY 2020-21 is as per **Annexure I**, new tax regime for individual taxpayers was made applicable from Assessment Year (AY) 2021-22 and that for corporate taxpayers from AY 2017-18.
- (b). For the ease and benefit of taxpayers, most of the taxpayer services, from PAN registration to filing of income tax returns (ITRs) and issuance of refunds, have been made online.

Annexure I

<u>Total Number of Govt. Employees filing income tax returns and Total tax payers for</u>

FY 2012-13 to FY 2020-21

Taxpayers	FY 2012- 13	FY 2013-14	FY 2014-15	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21
Corporate Tax (A)	6,18,806	6,36,023	7,29,363	7,71,802	7,95,533	8,44,535	8,88,132	9,20,523	9,67,054
Personal Tax (B)	2,82,09,753	3,25,11,136	4,35,09,915	5,10,33,832	5,24,26,386	6,20,53,707	6,85,44,351	6,61,86,940	6,84,40,784
Out of (B) above, Govt.Employees/ pensioners (C)	28,12,876	39,07,631	53,83,619	67,12,222	78,48,108	1,11,19,051	1,37,42,367	1,22,20,647	1,28,20,647
Total Taxpayers (A+B)	2,88,28,559	3,31,47,159	4,42,39,278	5,18,05,634	5,32,21,919	6,28,98,242	6,94,32,483	6,71,07,463	6,94,07,838

#Data for FY 2021-22 (AY 2022-23) is under compilation as last date of filing revised return was 31.12.2022.

^{*}Under the category of individual taxpayers, taxpayers having Salary income, income from Proprietorship, Capital Gains and Income from other sources are also included. Data for Private Salary Taxpayers is included under personal Tax Taxpayers and not separately maintained.