### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FINANCE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 205 TO BE ANSWERED ON NOVEMBER 18, 2019

#### INFLATIONARY TREND

### 205. SHRI KOMATI REDDY VENKAT REDDY: SHRI Y.S. AVINASH REDDY:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the country is facing acute inflationary trend in the recent days;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the remedial measures taken or being taken by the Government to curtail the inflation?

### **ANSWER**

## MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR)

(a) to (c) No Sir. The Consumer Price Index – Combined (CPI – C) Inflation of the last three years and of the current year up to October, 2019 may be seen in Table – 1.

Table 1: Consumer Price Index-Combined (CPI-C) Inflation

	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	Apr- 19	May- 19	Jun- 19	Jul- 19	Aug -19	Sep- 19	Oct- 19
CPI-C										
Inflation										
(per cent)	4.52	3.59	3.41	2.99	3.05	3.18	3.15	3.28	3.99	4.62

Source: Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation

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