#### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FINANCE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

#### LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2350

# TO BE ANSWERED ON MONDAY, THE 13<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2021 Agrahayana 22, 1943 (Saka)

## Gold Jewellery Sales under PMLA

### 2350. SHRI K. NAVASKANI:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has decided to bring gold jewellery sales in the country under the purview of the Prevention of Money Laundering Act (PMLA), 2002;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the response of Government to the appeal from the Jewellery business for reversal of the decision?

## ANSWER

### MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY)

(a) & (b) As per Gazette Notification No. 799(E) dated 28.12.2020, the Central Government has notified the dealers in precious metals, precious stones as persons carrying on designated businesses or professions – if they engage in any cash transactions with a customer equal to or above Rupees ten lakhs, carried out in a single operation or in several operations that appear to be linked.

(c) There is no proposal for reversal of the decision.

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