GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY DEPARTMENT FOR PROMOTION OF INDUSTRY AND INTERNAL TRADE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 606. TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, THE 20TH JULY, 2022.

SLOWDOWN IN INDUSTRIAL SECTOR

606. SHRI CHANDESHWAR PRASAD:

Will the Minister of **COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY** be pleased to state: वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री

- (a) whether there is a slowdown in commerce and industrial sector; and
- (b) if so, the details of the current growth rate and the growth rates in each of the last three financial years in both the sectors?

ANSWER

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री सोम प्रकाश) THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY (SHRI SOM PARKASH)

- (a) & (b): Performance of some of the key indicators used to assess the growth of commerce and industrial sectors are as under:
 - The gross GST revenue collected in the month of June, 2022 is ₹144,616 crore which is 56% higher than the GST revenues in the same month last year of ₹92,800 crore.
 - India's exports (Merchandise + Services) in June 2022 amounted to USD 64.91 billion, registering an increase of 22.95 % over USD 52.79 billion in June 2021.
 - The Index of Industrial production (IIP) for the Mining, Manufacturing and Electricity Sectors registered growth of 9.4 per cent, 12.8 per cent, and 17.4 per cent respectively during April May, 2022-23.
 - Index of Eight Core Industries (ICI) that measures production performance in selected eight core industries viz. Coal, Crude Oil, natural Gas, Refinery Products, Fertilisers, Steel, Cement and Electricity has registered a growth of 13.6 per cent during Apr – May, 2022-23 as compared to the corresponding period of last year.

The growth rates of last three financial years in both trade and industry are given below:

				(Figures in %)
Indicator	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23 (Apr-May)P
Overall Growth of IIP	-0.8	-8.4	11.4	12.9
Overall Growth of ICI	0.4	-6.4	10.4	13.6
Export Growth (Merchandise+ Services)	-2.14	-5.44	35.82	22.9**

Source: National Statistics Office; Office of Economic Adviser, DPIIT; and Department of Commerce Figures for April – June, 2022

P: Provisional