GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1063 ANSWERED ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2024 AGRAHAYANA 11, 1946 (SAKA) SURROGATE AUDIT WORK BY MULTINATIONAL COMPANIES

QUESTION

1063. SHRI ESWARASAMY K:

Will the Minister of CORPORATE AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether multinational companies are doing surrogate audit work in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the cases that came to the notice of Government;
- (c) the action taken on such companies;
- (d) the details of foreign companies allowed to do the audit work in the country;
- (e) whether the Government has reviewed their working recently; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD, TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

[SHRI HARSH MALHOTRA]

- (a) to (d):- As per Section 25 of the Chartered Accountants Act, 1949, and Section 141 of the Companies Act, 2013, no Company, whether incorporated in India or elsewhere shall practice as Chartered Accountants or do audit work in India.
 - (e)& (f): Does not arise.
