GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ENTERPRISES

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3542 TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 11th AUGUST, 2015

Appointment of IAS Officers in PSUs

3542. SHRI CHANDRAKANT KHAIRE: SHRI RAM TAHAL CHOUDHARY:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of the Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) in which IAS and IPS officers are posted as CMD and at other senior positions;
- (b) the performance of the said PSUs in comparison to other PSUs; and
- (c) the reaction of the Government thereto?

A N S W E R

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI G.M. SIDDESHWARA)

(a): As per available information, presently, officers belonging to Indian Administrative Service (IAS) and Indian Police Service (IPS) have been posted on deputation basis on Board level positions in five Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs), namely, (i) Air India Limited (AIL), (ii) National Scheduled Tribes Finance and Development Corporation (NSTFDC), (iii) India Tourism Development Corporation Limited (ITDC), (iv) National Highways & Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited (NHIDCL) and (v) National Highways Connectivity Company Limited (NHCCL).

(b) and (c): The performance of the above mentioned five CPSEs for the year 2013-14 is as under:

(Rs. in crore)

Name of CPSE	Performance of the CPSE		
	Total Revenue	Net Profit	Net Worth
AIL	19,230	(-) 5,389	(-) 15,333
NSTFDC	27	18	575
ITDC	470	9	316
NHIDCL	Set up in 2014		
NHCCL	Set up in 2014		

The performance of CPSEs is not merely linked to the persons posted at senior positions in the CPSEs. There are many other important factors, which decide their performance, such

as the nature of their business environment, changes in the global/national/sectoral competitive scenario, effect of business cycles on the sector concerned, level of technology, marketing efforts, manpower strength, company's strategic vision and its implementation, etc. Further, there are wide variations among CPSEs in terms of their nature of operations, sector/cognate group to which they belong, size of operations, schedule, Maharatna/ Navratna/Miniratna status, etc., thus making it difficult to make any meaningful comparison between CPSEs where IAS and IPS officers are posted vis-à-vis other CPSEs.
