

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS  
DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS

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**UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1535**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 8<sup>th</sup> December, 2015**

**Outsourcing for Pharma Majors**

1535. PROF. SAUGATA ROY:

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has identified any towns/metros as outsourcing destination for global pharmaceutical majors, if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) the approximate quantum of outsourcing from the country in this sector since the last one year?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)**

(a): Government has exempted payment of central excise duty on goods including medicines/drugs manufactured in certain areas for economic upliftment of the area.

(b): The requisite information is not maintained in the Department.

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