

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY  
(DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE)

LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2388  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 14<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2015

**ANTI-DUMPING PROBE AGAINST DRY CELL BATTERY IMPORTS**

**2388. SHRI HUKUM SINGH:**

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

- a) whether the Government has initiated anti-dumping investigation into the import of AA dry cell batteries after finding prima facie evidence of dumping of goods originating or exported to India from two Asian countries; and
- b) if so, the details and the present status thereof?

**ANSWER**

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग राज्य मंत्री (श्रीमती निर्मला सीतारमण)(स्वतंत्र प्रभार)  
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY  
(INDEPENDENT CHARGE)  
(SMT. NIRMALA SITHARAMAN)

- (a) &(b) : Yes Madam. The Directorate General of Anti-dumping & Allied Duties (DGAD) has initiated an anti-dumping investigation concerning imports of AA Dry Cell Batteries, originating in or exported from China PR and Vietnam, on 20.10.2015. The investigation is under progress.

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