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LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1077
(TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.03.2016)

CORRUPTION PERCEPTION INDEX

1077. ADV. M. UDHAYAKUMAR:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether according to the latest report of the Berlin based Transparency International, India has improved its ranking on perceptions of public sector corruption among 168 countries surveyed for 2015 and if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (b) whether the closely watched Transparency International Index uses 12 sets of data collected from organisations like World Bank, World Economic Forum, etc. to cobble up a picture of perceptions of business people and experts on corruption across nations; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

Minister of State in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions and Minister of State in the Prime Minister's Office. (DR. JITENDRA SINGH)

(a) to (c): As reported in Transparency International's website, the Corruption Perception Index ranking of India for the last three years is tabulated below:

Year	Rank of India out of the total number of countries surveyed
2013	94/177
2014	85/175
2015	76/168

As reported in Transparency International's website, the following 12 data sources were used to construct the Corruption Perception Index 2015:

1. African Development Bank Governance Ratings 2014
2. Bertelsmann Foundation Sustainable Governance Indicators 2015
3. Bertelsmann Foundation Transformation Index 2016
4. Economist Intelligence Unit Country Risk Ratings 2015
5. Freedom House Nations in Transit 2015
6. Global Insight Country Risk Ratings 2014
7. IMD World Competitiveness Yearbook 2015
8. Political and Economic Risk Consultancy Asian Intelligence 2015
9. Political Risk Services International Country Risk Guide 2015
10. World Bank's Country Policy and Institutional Assessment 2014
11. World Economic Forum Executive Opinion Survey (EOS) 2015
12. World Justice Project Rule of Law Index 2015