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

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 40 TO BE ANSWERED ON 23.04.2015

Financial help to tainted consultants by BHEL officials

40. SHRI SALIM ANSARI:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) have paid huge subscriptions/fees/advertisements to the websites/consulting firms being probed by Crime Branch of Delhi Police in leakage of documents case;
- (b) if so, the details of subscriptions/ fees/advertisements paid to the websites/ portals and consultants so far;
- (c) whether BHEL have also procured documents from these tainted advisers/ consultants; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and action taken against officers of BHEL for extending financial help to tainted consultants/portals etc.?

ANSWER

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

(a): No information has been received by Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) from any Government authority/ agency in respect of specific websites/ consulting firms being probed by Crime Branch of Delhi Police in the recent leakage of documents case. Therefore, as per instant available information, paying of huge subscriptions/ fees/ advertisements to the websites/ consulting firms being probed by Crime Branch of Delhi Police in leakage of documents case by BHEL does not arise.

(b) to (d): Not applicable in view of (a) above.
