

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

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3003**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 29.08.2013**

Employees of Instrumentations Ltd.

3003. SHRI M.B. RAJESH:

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

- (a) whether payment of Provident Fund (PF) and gratuity of employees of instrumentations limited is due for a long time;
- (b) if so, whether the local management in Palakkad has been collecting and transferring PF contribution of the employees in a regular manner;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether these funds are diverted for some other purposes;
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and
- (f) the action taken by the Government in this regard?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES  
(SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

(a): Yes, Madam. Provident Fund (PF) is due since October 2010. However, gratuity of employees has been paid upto June, 2013.

(b) & (c): Yes, in a regular manner. The details of PF contributions transferred to IL EPF Trust from Palakkad Unit during 2013-14 is as below:

<b><u>Months</u></b>	<b><u>PF Amount (Rs. In Lacs)</u></b>
April 2013	32.87
May 2013	34.11
June 2013	33.91
July 2013	32.87
August 2013	32.52

(d): No, Madam.

(e) & (f) Does not arise in view of (b) & (c) above.

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