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

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 889 TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.08.2013

Revival of Hindustan Photo Films, Ooty

889. SHRI RANGASAYEE RAMAKRISHNA:

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

- (a) since when the Hindustan Photo Films at Ooty has remained sick and closed;
- (b) whether a revival proposal duly approved by the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Industries and Board for Reconstruction of Public Sector Enterprises was withdrawn from the CCEA;
- (c) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether a revised scheme for revival of this unit is underway; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a): Hindustan Photo Films Mfg. Co. Ltd. at Ooty has been declared sick by BIFR on 23.01.1996. The company is not yet closed.

(b) & (c): A CCEA Note for Revival of Hindustan Photo Films Mfg. Co. Limited was submitted to Cabinet Secretariat on 14.07.2012. The same was discussed by CCEA in its meeting held on 23.08.2012 and was withdrawn. It was decided to rework an attractive VRS package.

(d) & (e): Department of Heavy Industry is preparing a VRS package for approval of CCEA.
