GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF STEEL

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.132 FOR ANSWER ON 05/12/2013

VIOLATION OF TRANSFER POLICY

132. SHRIMATI BIMLA KASHYAP SOOD:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that a large number of executives working in different plants/offices of Steel Authority of India Ltd. (SAIL) have not been transferred in violation of instructions issued by DOP&T, DPE and Ministry of Steel, regarding posting of husband and wife at the same station;
- (b) if so, the unit/office-wise and category-wise details thereof;
- (c) whether a number of representations on transfer of couple cases are pending for consideration;
- (d) if so, the unit/office-wise and category-wise details thereof and by when these executives are likely to be transferred; and
- (e) the unit/office-wise details of vacant posts of executives in SAIL?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STEEL

(SHRI BENI PRASAD VERMA)

- (a)to(d): No, Sir. The applications received from executives of Steel Authority of India Ltd. (SAIL) requesting for transfer from one unit to another on account of their spouse being posted at different location are periodically considered subject to availability of suitable post and requirement. However, due to non-availability of suitable vacancies at the desired places of posting, some representations could not be considered favourably.
- (e) The posts of executives in SAIL are periodically filled up through recruitment, promotion or transfer as per requirement in terms of the laid down policy of the company.
