GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 660 ANSWERED ON TUESDAY, THE 15th JULY, 2014

RELAXATION IN COMPANIES ACT

QUESTION

660. SHRI D. RAJA: SHRI M.P. ACHUTHAN:

Will the Minister of CORPORATE AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is considering a proposal to make some relaxations in the Companies Act which came into effect from the beginning of the current financial year; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

(SMT. NIRMALA SITHARAMAN)

(a) & (b):- Section 462 of the Companies Act 2013 envisages relaxations in the form of not applying some provisions of the Act or applying them with exceptions or modifications to specific class/classes of companies. Before grant of such relaxation, draft notifications have to be laid before each House of Parliament. Preparation of such notification is under active consideration.
