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PREFACE

This Pamphlet contains statistical information relating to notices of Questions received during the Two Hundred and Twenty-Fifth Session of the Rajya Sabha and their disposal. There are ten statements containing various kinds of information which have been compiled from statistics relating to Questions dealt with during the Session. Statement-IX gives some figures showing, at a glance, certain important features pertaining to Questions.

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STATEMENT-I

Total number of notices of Starred and Unstarred Questions received under each Group

GROUP-I

Coal; Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution; Corporate Affairs; Earth Sciences; Information and Broadcasting; Law and Justice; Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises; Mines; Minority Affairs; New and Renewable Energy; Parliamentary Affairs; Power; Science and Technology; Water Resources. 2094

GROUP-II

Drinking Water and Sanitation; Environment and Forests; Finance; Health and Family Welfare; Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises; Petroleum and Natural Gas; Rural Development. 3091

GROUP-III

Commerce and Industry; Culture; Defence; Home Affairs; Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation; Labour and Employment; Textiles; Urban Development. 2616

GROUP-IV

Prime Minister; Atomic Energy; Civil Aviation; Development of North Eastern Region; External Affairs; Overseas Indian Affairs; Panchayati Raj; Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions; Planning; Road Transport and Highways; Shipping; Social Justice and Empowerment; Space; Steel; Tourism; Tribal Affairs; Women and Child Development; Youth Affairs and Sports. 2837

GROUP-V

Agriculture; Chemicals and Fertilizers; Communications and Information Technology; Food Processing Industries; Human Resource Development; Railways; Statistics and Programme Implementation.

2474

TOTAL

13112

STATEMENT-II

Notices of Starred and Unstarred Questions received for each date after the issue of Bulletin for commencement of the Session

Sl. No.	Date of Sitting	Notices of Starred Questions received	Notices of Unstarred Questions received	Total Notices received	Notices received in Hindi
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	13.03.2012	262	133	395	65
2.	14.03.2012	232	124	356	54
3.	15.03.2012	288	154	442	67
4.	19.03.2012	273	109	382	68
5.	20.03.2012	331	129	460	80
6.	21.03.2012	343	125	468	95
7.	22.03.2012	336	144	480	83
8.	23.03.2012*	378	155	533	124
9.	26.03.2012	250	132	382	77
10.	27.03.2012	344	141	485	90
11.	28.03.2012	308	125	433	75
12.	29.03.2012	336	142	478	86
13.	30.03.2012	365	153	518	97
14.	24.04.2012	311	146	457	84

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15.	25.04.2012	237	127	364	60
16.	26.04.2012	242	134	376	65
17.	27.04.2012	241	139	380	65
18.	30.04.2012	246	131	377	71
19.	02.05.2012	219	111	330	48
20.	03.05.2012	226	116	342	54
21.	04.05.2012	217	130	347	63
22.	07.05.2012	212	112	324	81
23.	08.05.2012	316	185	501	97
24.	09.05.2012	202	118	320	48
25.	10.05.2012	230	111	341	62
26.	11.05.2012	208	128	336	62
27.	14.05.2012	230	95	325	74
28.	15.05.2012	286	132	418	83
29.	16.05.2012	217	128	345	73
30.	17.05.2012	251	127	378	74
31.	18.05.2012	228	132	360	61
32.	21.05.2012	205	99	304	66
33.	22.05.2012	244	131	375	71
Total		8814	4298	13112	2423

*Sitting cancelled

STATEMENT-II-A

Abstract showing disposal of notices of Starred and Unstarred Questions

Category of Questions	Notices received	Admitted	Admitted by clubbing	Disallowed	Lapsed	Returned	Withdrawn	Cancelled
Starred	8814	660	-	158	4745	3	1	-
Unstarred	4298	5115+	696++	1004	730	-	-	-
TOTAL:	13112	5775	696	1162	5475	3	1	-

+ Includes 2746 notices of Starred Questions admitted as Unstarred Questions.

++ Includes 501 notices of Starred Questions admitted as Unstarred Questions by clubbing.

STATEMENT-III

Statistical abstract relating to Questions (Starred and Unstarred) showing the number of notices received in respect of each Ministry/Department and their disposal

(The figures shown in bracket indicate the number of Notices of Questions received in Hindi)

Sl. No.	Name of the Ministry/Department	Notices received	Admitted		Admitted by clubbing	Disallowed	Lapsed	Returned to Members	With-drawn	Cancelled	No. of Supplementaries asked
			Starred	Unstarred							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1.	Prime Minister	57(10)	-	-	-	28(5)	29(5)	-	-	-	-
2.	Agriculture	634(139)	33(4)	236(54)	50(27)	40(5)	273(49)	2(0)	-	-	25
3.	Atomic Energy	117(18)	10(2)	42(2)	9(0)	13(6)	43(8)	-	-	-	-
4.	Chemicals and Fertilizers	211(52)	9(3)	76(19)	15(6)	8(1)	103(23)	-	-	-	5
5.	Civil Aviation	441(51)	16(1)	188(26)	26(9)	32(2)	179(13)	-	-	-	2
6.	Coal	286(50)	15(5)	115(23)	11(6)	36(6)	109(10)	-	-	-	5
7.	Commerce and Industry	488(101)	25(4)	182(35)	30(15)	55(5)	196(42)	-	-	-	12
8.	Communications and Information Technology	281(41)	12(0)	103(17)	26(3)	6(1)	134(20)	-	-	-	10
9.	Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution	355(80)	29(8)	175(38)	17(10)	20(3)	114(21)	-	-	-	35
10.	Corporate Affairs	52(8)	2(0)	26(4)	3(2)	3(0)	18(2)	-	-	-	-

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
11.	Culture	116(24)	6(3)	55(10)	7(0)	11(3)	37(8)	-	-	-	-
12.	Defence	376(46)	20(3)	139(12)	15(1)	56(10)	146(20)	-	-	-	19
13.	Development of North Eastern Region	41(1)	-	11(0)	2(0)	-	28(1)	-	-	-	-
14.	Drinking Water and Sanitation	147(31)	9(2)	58(10)	9(1)	3(1)	68(17)	-	-	-	9
15.	Earth Sciences	38(9)	4(0)	13(1)	-	6(4)	15(4)	-	-	-	7
16.	Environment and Forests	498(71)	17(3)	167(28)	18(3)	49(4)	247(33)	-	-	-	8
17.	External Affairs	365(102)	15(2)	127(31)	29(10)	51(25)	143(34)	-	-	-	-
18.	Finance	782(140)	33(8)	250(47)	58(22)	57(11)	384(52)	-	-	-	8
19.	Food Processing Industries	62(8)	1(0)	19(1)	3(0)	4(0)	35(7)	-	-	-	-
20.	Health and Family Welfare	786(164)	42(6)	288(54)	30(7)	59(12)	367(85)	-	-	-	20
21.	Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises	62(2)	5(0)	22(1)	-	5(0)	30(1)	-	-	-	10
22.	Home Affairs	821(154)	47(13)	342(62)	51(11)	117(36)	264(32)	-	-	-	39
23.	Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation	108(11)	8(1)	50(5)	2(0)	2(0)	46(5)	-	-	-	5
24.	Human Resource Development	604(112)	33(7)	247(40)	46(9)	29(4)	249(52)	-	-	-	13
25.	Information and Broadcasting	137(43)	6(2)	67(24)	3(2)	18(7)	43(8)	-	-	-	2
26.	Labour and Employment	319(48)	15(1)	140(27)	19(8)	25(2)	120(10)	-	-	-	5
27.	Law and Justice	237(43)	12(2)	90(11)	12(7)	53(9)	70(14)	-	-	-	3
28.	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises	64(15)	4(1)	30(7)	4(4)	7(2)	19(1)	-	-	-	-

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29.	Mines	88(15)	2(0)	36(7)	2(1)	11(2)	37(5)	-	-	-	4
30.	Minority Affairs	66(14)	1(0)	35(5)	2(0)	5(2)	23(7)	-	-	-	3
31.	New and Renewable Energy	116(19)	5(1)	61(8)	4(1)	6(2)	40(7)	-	-	-	7
32.	Overseas Indian Affairs	39(1)	7(1)	14(0)	1(0)	-	17(0)	-	-	-	5
33.	Panchayati Raj	53(8)	5(1)	23(3)	1(0)	-	24(4)	-	-	-	10
34.	Parliamentary Affairs	14(0)	-	4(0)	-	8(0)	2(0)	-	-	-	
35.	Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions	159(23)	7(0)	55(11)	10(1)	24(6)	63(5)	-	-	-	7
36.	Petroleum and Natural Gas	399(73)	16(3)	163(30)	24(9)	36(5)	160(26)	-	-	-	-
37.	Planning	194(61)	6(0)	82(24)	12(9)	16(5)	78(23)	-	-	-	-
38.	Power	280(55)	18(5)	135(31)	8(3)	26(4)	93(12)	-	-	-	28
39.	Railways	633(111)	30(8)	232(40)	41(6)	40(4)	289(52)	-	1(1)	-	35
40.	Road Transport and Highways	449(74)	21(4)	179(37)	19(6)	25(9)	205(18)	-	-	-	8
41.	Rural Development	417(89)	18(5)	137(31)	15(7)	36(8)	211(38)	-	-	-	8
42.	Science and Technology	49(8)	2(0)	25(4)	4(0)	3(2)	15(2)	-	-	-	
43.	Shipping	115(11)	4(0)	41(4)	5(1)	6(1)	59(5)	-	-	-	-
44.	Social Justice and Empowerment	176(16)	9(1)	64(7)	6(3)	18(1)	79(4)	-	-	-	6
45.	Space	48(3)	5(0)	19(0)	2(0)	5(1)	17(2)	-	-	-	2

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
46.	Statistics and Programme Implementation	49(9)	2(1)	17(1)	2(0)	-	27(7)	1(0)	-	-	-	2
47.	Steel	63(12)	5(1)	23(5)	4(3)	2(0)	29(3)	-	-	-	-	-
48.	Textiles	118(23)	8(2)	65(13)	6(2)	12(0)	27(6)	-	-	-	-	3
49.	Tourism	113(13)	6(1)	39(6)	2(0)	3(1)	63(5)	-	-	-	-	5
50.	Tribal Affairs	103(26)	3(0)	46(10)	2(0)	2(1)	50(15)	-	-	-	-	-
51.	Urban Development	270(46)	11(0)	112(18)	9(2)	21(4)	117(22)	-	-	-	-	5
52.	Water Resources	312(78)	20(6)	118(19)	7(3)	51(15)	116(35)	-	-	-	-	17
53.	Women and Child Development	202(41)	16(0)	80(11)	5(0)	10(4)	91(26)	-	-	-	-	15
54.	Youth Affairs and Sports	102(20)	5(0)	52(6)	8(0)	3(1)	34(13)	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL:		13112(2423)	660(121)	5115(920)	696(220)	1162(242)	5475(919)	3(0)	1(1)	-	-	412

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STATEMENT-IV

Statement showing the subjects on which maximum number of Questions were answered

Sl. No.	Name of Ministry/ Department	Subject	No. of Questions Admitted		No. of Supple- mentaries asked
			Starred	Unstarred	
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Chemicals and Fertilizers	Availability of chemicals and fertilizers	2	19	-
2.	Commerce and Industry	Import/export	6	20	5
3.	Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution	Public Distribution System	1	28	-
		Sugar	4	19	-
4.	Drinking Water and Sanitation	Drinking water facilities	5	15	5
5.	Environment and Forests	Environment pollution	5	16	3
		Wildlife conservation and river preservation	6	21	5
6.	Finance	Taxation matters	4	24	-
7.	Health and Family Welfare	AIIMS & AIIMS-like Institutions	5	11	5
		Diseases(swine flu/ dengue/malaria/ cancer)	7	32	-
		National Rural Health Mission	5	11	5
8.	Home Affairs	Crimes against women	5	28	10
		Naxalism	2	23	8

1	2	3	4	5	6
9.	Human Resource Development	Admission/enrolment/entrance tests	3	29	-
		Infrastructure facilities in schools and colleges	5	33	5
		Issues related to universities	4	16	5
10.	Labour and Employment	Child labour	3	18	-
11.	Petroleum and Natural Gas	IPI/TAPI pipelines	4	13	-
		Oil exploration	7	16	-
		Petro-prices	5	14	-
		Shortage of LPG and CNG	4	25	-
12.	Power	Power projects/plants	2	30	-
13.	Railways	Policy	4	21	-
		Rail projects	13	70	18
		Safety and security	1	19	-
		Train services/connectivities	1	31	-
14.	Road Transport and Highways	National Highways	2	17	8
15.	Rural Development	MGNREGS	12	27	8
		Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana	2	17	-
16.	Urban Development	JNNURM	5	36	5

STATEMENT-V

*Statements laid on the Table of the Rajya Sabha in reply to
STARRED QUESTIONS*

Copies of 620 statements (both in English and Hindi), which were laid on the Table of the Rajya Sabha in reply to Starred Questions, were sent to the Rajya Sabha Notice Office and Lobby for being supplied to Members, half an hour before commencement of the Question Hour, in pursuance of the announcement made by the Chairman in the House on the 16th July, 1952. In addition to this, a copy each of the statements was also kept at the seats of Members concerned. Spare copies of the statements were placed at the counter in Lobby for use by other Members.

STATEMENT-VI

Abstract showing disposal of SHORT NOTICE QUESTIONS

Dy. No.	Subject	Name of the Member	Ministry/ Department	Disposal	No. of supplementaries asked
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Uranium projects functioning in Andhra Pradesh	Shri Y. S. Chowdary	Atomic Energy	Answer laid	-
2.	Scheme for development of infrastructure under APEDA	Shri Y. S. Chowdary	Commerce and Industry	Disallowed	-
3.	Rail projects in Andhra Pradesh	Shri Y. S. Chowdary	Railways	Answered	3
4.	Fertilizer rake facilities at Mota Liliya, Amreli	Shri Parshottam Khodabhai Rupala	Railways	Disallowed	-
5.	Electricity generated by NPCIL	Shri Parshottam Khodabhai Rupala	Atomic Energy	Answered	4
6.	Lion as national animal	Shri Parshottam Khodabhai Rupala	Environment and Forests	Disallowed	-
7.	Serious threat of paid news	Shri Tarun Vijay	Information and Broadcasting	Disallowed	-
8.	Regulation of marketing margin on natural gas	Shri Parshottam Khodabhai Rupala	Petroleum and Natural Gas	Disallowed	-
9.	Introduction of electronic indicators in train coaches	Shri Parshottam Khodabhai Rupala	Railways	Disallowed	-
10.	Supply of chemical fertilizers to Gujarat	Shri Parshottam Khodabhai Rupala	Chemicals and Fertilizers	Answered	5
11.	Drought in Andhra Pradesh	Shri Jesudasu Seelam	Agriculture	Answered	5
12.	Diversion of funds collected for rain water harvesting	Shri Jesudasu Seelam	Water Resources	Answered	2
13.	Bogus MBA degree provided by National Insurance Academy	Shri Parshottam Khodabhai Rupala	Finance	Disallowed	-

1	2	3	4	5	6
14.	Purchase of paddy by FCI	Shri Parshottam Khodabhai Rupala	Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution	Disallowed	-
15.	Taliban attacks in Afghanistan	Shri H. K. Dua	External Affairs	Disallowed	-
16.	Non-notified troop movement towards Delhi	Shri Y. S. Chowdary	Defence	Disallowed	-
17.	Electricity from NCES for Gujarat	Shri Parshottam Khodabhai Rupala	Power	Disallowed	-
18.	Food parks	Shri Y. S. Chowdary	Food processing industries	Answer laid	-
19.	Refugees from Myanmar	Shri Mohammad Adeeb	Home Affairs	Answered	4
20.	Refugees from Myanmar	Shri Sabir Ali	Home Affairs	Clubbed with above	-
21.	Negotiation with Maoists involved in abductions	Shri Prakash Javadekar	Home Affairs	Answered	2
22.	Investigation into killing of Indian fishermen by Italian marines	Shri Prakash Javadekar	External Affairs	Disallowed	-
23.	Prices of milk	Shri Prakash Javadekar	External Affairs	Lapsed	-
24.	Talks related to border disputes with China	Shri Prakash Javadekar	Petroleum and Natural Gas	Lapsed	-
25.	Killing of Indian students abroad	Shri Prakash Javadekar	External Affairs	Disallowed	-
26.	Withdrawal by ONGC from South China Sea	Shri Prakash Javadekar	Petroleum and Natural Gas	Lapsed	-
27.	Airport charges at Delhi Airport	Shri Prakash Javadekar	Civil Aviation	Disallowed	-
28.	Indian nationals held hostages by pirates	Shri Prakash Javadekar	External Affairs	Lapsed	-
29.	Kickbacks paid in the helicopter deal	Shri Prakash Javadekar	Defence	Disallowed	-
30.	Demand of cotton export under OGL	Shri Prakash Javadekar	Commerce and Industry	Lapsed	-

1	2	3	4	5	6
31.	Recovery of fake Indian currency notes	Shri Y. S. Chowdary	Finance	Lapsed	-
32.	Need of airport at Raxaul in Bihar	Shri Sabir Ali	Civil Aviation	Answered	4
33.	Recent incident of fire and cases of nuisance at Old Delhi Railway Station	Shri Motilal Vora	Railways	Disallowed	-
34.	Teachers for specially enabled children	Shri Tarun Vijay	Human Resource Development	Answered	4
35.	Staff Shortage at AIIMS	Shri Rajiv Pratap Rudy	Health and Family Welfare	Lapsed	-
36.	Effects of endosulfan on human health	Shri Parshottam Khodabhai Rupala	Health and Family Welfare	Lapsed	-
37.	Temporary passport for Haj pilgrims	Chaudhary Munnabbar Saleem	External Affairs	Lapsed	-
38.	Acquisition of ADB	Shri Bhupender Yadav	Petroleum and Natural Gas	Returned	-
39.	Adulteration of food items	Shri K. N. Balagopal	Health and Family Affairs	Lapsed	-
40.	Kerosene quota for Kerala	Shri K. N. Balagopal	Petroleum and Natural Gas	Answered	5
41.	Rehabilitation of dalit families migrated from villages of Gujarat	Shri Ram Vilas Paswan	Home Affairs	Lapsed	-

STATEMENT-VII

*Statement showing disposal of notices received for raising
HALF-AN- HOUR DISCUSSION on matters of public importance arising out
of answers to Questions*

Dy. No.	Subject	Name of the Member	Ministry/ Department	Disposal	No. of Members who took part in the discussion
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Increase in financial assistance under IAY and TSC schemes	Shri Parshottam Khodabhai Rupala	Rural Development	Disallowed	-
2.	Extending Article 370 in States	Shri Avinash Rai Khanna	Home Affairs	Disallowed	-
3.	Requirement of naval warships	Shri Avinash Rai Khanna	Defence	Lapsed	-
4.	Compulsory verification of mobile SIM card holders	Shri Parshottam Khodabhai Rupala	Communications and Information Technology	Disallowed	-
5.	Paid news	Shri P. Rajeeve	Information and Broadcasting	Disallowed	-
6.	Water leakage in Farakka dam	Shri D. Bandyopadhyay	Water Resources	Discussed	5
7.	Harassment of women	Shri Avinash Rai Khanna	Home Affairs	Lapsed	-
8.	Restructuring of loans of West Bengal	Shri Sukhendu Sekhar Roy	Finance	Disallowed	-
9.	Teacher Eligibility Test	Shri Jesudasu Seelam	Human Resource Development	Admitted	-
10.	Poor construction of roads by BRO	Shri Rajiv Pratap Rudy	Defence	Disallowed	-
11.	Non-implementation of POLNET	Shri Avinash Rai Khanna	Home Affairs	Disallowed	-
12.	Water leakage in Farakka dam	Shri D. Bandyopadhyay	Water Resources	Clubbed with Dy. No. 6	-

1	2	3	4	5	6
13.	Promotion of entrepreneurship and self-employment among minorities	Shri Ahmad Saeed Malihabadi	Minority Affairs	Returned	-
14.	Promotion of entrepreneurship and self-employment among minorities	Shri Mohammed Adeeb	Minority Affairs	Discussed	12
15.	Production capacity of Air India workshop functioning in Delhi	Dr. Ram Prakash	Civil Aviation	Lapsed	-
16.	Unauthorised slaughter houses	Shri Dilipbhai Pandya	Agriculture	Disallowed	-
17.	Supply of nuclear equipment by Russia	Shri D. Bandyopadhyay	Atomic Energy	Lapsed	-
18.	Spurt in prices of vegetables and other essential items	Shri Prakash Javadekar	Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution	Lapsed	-
19.	Vacancies in PSUs	Shri Tiruchi Siva	Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises	Lapsed	-
20.	Schemes for handloom sector and weavers	Shri Jesudasu Seelam	Textiles	Lapsed	-
21.	Water problem in Phase-I, Dwarka	Shri Dilipbhai Pandya	Urban Development	Lapsed	-
22.	Prevention of Atrocities Act across States in the country	Shri Ishwar Singh	Social Justice and Empowerment	Lapsed	-
23.	Schemes for handloom sector and weavers	Shri M. Venkaiah Naidu	Textiles	Lapsed	-
24.	Supply of chemical fertilizers to Gujarat	Shri Naresh Agrawal	Chemicals and Fertilizers	Lapsed	-

STATEMENT-VIII

Abstract of Statements made/laid by the Ministers correcting replies already given by them to Questions in the Rajya Sabha

Sl. No.	Date	Statement made/laid by	No. of Question to which statement was made/laid	Date of answer to the Question	Subject of the Question
1.	19.03.2012	Shri Salman Khursheed, Minister of Law & Justice and Minority Affairs	Unstarred Question 846	08.08.2011	SC/ST representation in the Ministry
2.	20.03.2012	Shri Sudip Bandopadhyay	Unstarred Question 3016	20.12.2011	Sale of iodised salt in market
3.	26.03.2012	Shri Chowdhury Mohan Jatua, Minister of State in the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting	Unstarred Question 513	19.03.2012	Airing of illegal channels
4.	26.04.2012	Shri G. K. Vasan, Minister of Shipping	Unstarred Question 419	15.03.2012	Integrated shipyards cum ports
5.	07.05.2012	Shri K. C. Venugopal, Minister of State in the Ministry of Power	Unstarred Question 563	19.03.2012	Progress of RGGVY in Odisha
6.	08.05.2012	Shri Pradeep Jain, Minister of State in the Ministry of Rural Development	Starred Question 16	13.03.2012	Irregularities in MGNREGS
7.	09.05.2012	Shri A. K. Antony, Minister of Defence	Unstarred Question 2825	02.05.2012	Purchase of MIG aircrafts

STATEMENT-IX

*Some interesting features pertaining to Questions asked
and
answered in the Rajya Sabha*

1. The number of sittings during which the Question time was allotted..... 33
2. The number of sittings during which the Question Hour was dispensed with..... Nil
3. The number of sittings which were adjourned without transacting any business..... 1 (on 25.04.2012)
4. The number of sittings during which Question time was allotted but no Questions were orally answered in the House..... 10 (on 13th, 15th, 26th, 28th, 29th March, 24th, 26th April, 8th, 18th and 22nd May 2012)
5. The number of sittings cancelled..... 1(23.03.2012)
6. The number of sittings extended without Question Hour(special sitting) 13.05.2012
7. The number of Questions (Starred and Unstarred) received in Hindi..... 2423
8. The number of Members from whom notices were received..... 161
9. The maximum number of times any Member's name appeared in the ballot of Starred Questions 18 (Shri Upendra Kushwaha)
10. The number of Questions answered orally 103
11. The number of Questions on which Supplementaries were put..... 102

12.	The number of Supplementary Questions put.....	412
13.	The number of Questions to which written replies were laid on the Table of the Rajya Sabha.....	5672
14.	The maximum number of notices received from any one Member.....	396 (from Shri Mohd. Ali Khan)
15.	The maximum number of Supplementary Questions put by any one Member.....	7 (by Shri Baishnab Parida)
16.	The maximum number of Supplementaries asked by any one Member on any one day.....	3 (each by Shri Y. P. Trivedi and Vijay J. Darda on 04.05.2012)
17.	The days on which there were less than 20 Questions in a Starred list.....	Nil
18.	The minimum number of Unstarred Questions put down in a day's list.....	155
19.	The maximum number of Questions on which Supplementary Questions were asked on any one day.....	8 (on 03.05.2012)
20.	The minimum number of Questions on which Supplementary Questions were asked on any one day.....	1 (on 22.03.2012 and 16.05.2012)
21.	The maximum number of notices received on any one day after the issue of Bulletin for commencement of the Session.....	743 (on 12.04.2012)
22.	The maximum number of Questions orally answered on any one subject.....	2 (each on naxalism and crimes against women)
23.	The maximum number of supplementaries raised on any one Question.....	5
24.	The maximum number of Questions addressed to any one Minister.....	821 (to Minister of Home Affairs)

25.	The maximum number of admitted Questions addressed to any one Minister.....	389 (to Minister of Home Affairs)
26.	The maximum number of Questions orally answered by any one Minister.....	10 (by Minister of Commerce and Industry)
27.	The maximum number of Supplementary Questions answered by any one Minister	39 (by Minister of Home Affairs)
28.	Number of Questions answered by a Minister, other than by the Minister-in-charge.....	Nil
29.	Average number of Questions received per sitting.....	397.33
30.	Average number of Questions orally answered per sitting...	3.21
31.	Average number of Questions orally answered per sitting (only for those sittings when Question were orally answered).....	4.90
32.	Average number of Supplementary Questions asked per sitting.....	12.88
33.	Average number of Supplementary Questions on each Question answered orally	4
34.	Average time taken on each Question orally answered.....	12.23
35.	Total number of Statements in reply to Questions sent to the Rajya Sabha Notice Office and Lobby half an hour before the Question Hour.....	620
36.	The largest number of Statements sent to the Rajya Sabha Notice Office with reference to Questions on any one day.	20 (on 21 st , 26 th March, 14 th and 22 nd May, 2012)
37.	The biggest statement laid on the Table of the Rajya Sabha with reference to a Question sent to the Notice Office and Lobby.....	9 pages (for SQ 144 answered on 23.03.2012)
38.	Total number of statements made/laid by Ministers in the House correcting the replies given by them to Questions in the Rajya Sabha.....	7

STATEMENT-X

Statement showing the Observations/Directions/Rulings made /given for smooth functioning of Question Hour in the Rajya Sabha

Sl. No.	Observations/Directions/Rulings made/given by Chairman/Dy.Chairman	Date	Observations/Directions/Rulings made/ given
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Nil
