## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PLANNING RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1778 ANSWERED ON-08.12.2011

Amount sanctioned released for UID project

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- (a) whether data is available with the Ministry about total amount of money sanctioned and released till date for UID project; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

## **ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR PLANNING, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY AND EARTH SCIENCES

(DR. ASHWANI KUMAR)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): The Government had approved an outlay of Rs. 147 crore and Rs. 3023.01 crore for phase I and phase II of the UID Project in Nov. 2009 and July 2010 respectively. These covered the setting up of infrastructure in HQ and Regional Offices, creation of testing facilities for Pilots and proof of concept experiments, creation of standards in various areas of operations, setting up of a Project Management Unit, hiring of consultants for preparation of Detailed Project Reports for various components of the Project, recurring establishment cost for 5 (five) years and issue of 10 crore UID numbers.

Details of annual budget allocation and expenditure for UID Project are a given below:

Year Annual Budget Expenditure incurred (Final Allocation) (in crores of INR) (in crores of INR)

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2009-10 26.38 26.21 2010-11 273.80 268.41 2011-12 1470.00 210.22 (up to October 2011)

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