GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 212

TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, THE 01.08.2018

Allocation of Work to Judges

*212. SHRI M. CHANDRAKASI:

Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

- (a) the procedure followed in the High Courts and the Supreme Court of the country for allocation of work to judges;
- (b) whether any guidelines have been issued in this regard, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government would consider laying down any guidelines in the matter; and
- (d) if so, the details in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF LAW AND JUSTICE AND ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement referred to in reply to Parts (a) to (d) of Lok Sabha Starred Question No. 212 due for answer on 01.08.2018 regarding "Allocation of Work to Judges"

(a) to (d): Allocation of work among Judges of the Supreme Court and High Courts is within the jurisdiction of the Chief Justice of the respective Court, which are independent organ under the Indian Constitution, and the Government does not issue any guidelines in the matter.