

MOTION TO CONSIDER POLICY, SITUATION, STATEMENT OR ANY OTHER MATTER (RULE-168)

Motion Re: Disapproving the Decision of Government to allow FDI In Multi-Brand Retail Sector - Contd.

7th December 2013

SHRI N.K. SINGH: Sir, I am grateful to the Minister for having yielded for a brief moment. I just wish to say two things. First, I wish to say that all reports must be read in entirety and not selectively. In any report, there are many debates and discussions. I wish to draw your attention and the attention of this House to the chart contained in page 40 of this Report which has the heading 'Proposed Sectoral Changes in FDI Caps', and the specific recommendation contained in page 41 of this Report, both of which do not contain any recommendation on FDI in retail. In fact, the recommendation on page 41 specifically says that multi-brand retail was not in India's interest at the moment.