GOVERNMENT OF INDIA LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the poor quality of employment in India has led to a mismatch in expectation and availability of jobs forcing the skilled manpower to explore opportunities abroad as reported in Statesman dated March 18, 2005;
- (b) if so, the facts thereof;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to formulate new schemes to provide quality job in the country to check brain-drain; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI K. CHANDRASEKHAR RAO)

- (a & b) The Task force and the Special Group constituted in the Planning Commission had identified lack of high quality employment as one of the reasons for comparatively high unemployment rate among the educated category. However, technically skilled manpower may also seek employment opportunities abroad for better prospects particularly in the wake of globalization and economic liberalization.
- (c & d) One of the main objectives of 10th plan is to attempt creation of quality jobs in various sectors of the economy.