

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

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SEX WORKERS UNDER NATIONAL NETWORK  
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**Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the sex workers under the banner of National Network of Sex Workers has drawn the attention of the Government towards the work they does in preventing disease from spreading; and

(b) if so, the role played by them in preventing the customers from getting the AIDS?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) National Network of Sex Workers have reported that they have come forward to participate actively in the Targeted Interventions that constitute the frontline strategy of the National AIDS Control Programmes.