

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

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TRAFFICKING OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN
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Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Centre for Social Research has given their observation on the narrow scope of the SAARC convention in preventing and combating trafficking of Indian women and children for prostitution;
- (b) if so, the position of India in this regard as per SAARC; and
- (c) the steps taken/proposed to be taken to combat the human trafficking?

Answer

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

(a) No, Sir.

(b)&(c) Does not arise.