

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6394  
ANSWERED ON:05.05.2010  
EXCESSIVE EXPENDITURE BY INDIAN MISSIONS  
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**Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether there has been adverse comments by the Comptroller and Auditor General (CAG) of India on the excessive expenditure incurred by Indian missions abroad; and

(b) if so, the details thereof including the suggestions made by the CAG in this regard?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI S. M. KRISHNA)

(a) & (b): The CAG has not made any adverse comment regarding excessive expenditure by the Indian Missions abroad over the budgetary ceilings.