

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

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**Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has made any changes in its foreign policy for China;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether India has recently reviewed its stand towards Tibet; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (d) India's relationship with China is one of the priorities of India's foreign policy. India and China have established a Strategic and Cooperative Partnership for Peace and Prosperity. There are regular high-level political contacts between the two countries. External Affairs Minister visited China from 5-8 April 2010. President of India had a successful State visit to China from 26-31 May 2010. The two sides have established a dialogue architecture to discuss the entire range of bilateral relations. India's position on Tibet has been consistent; India recognizes that the Tibet Autonomous Region is part of the territory of the People's Republic of China.