

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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RECOGNITION OF INDIAN DEGREES IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES

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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Indian Government had recently held talks with foreign countries for securing recognition of Indian degrees in these countries;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the countries where Indian degrees are already recognized; and

(d) the benefits likely to accrue to the Indian students as result thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT(SMT. D. PURANDESWARI)

(a)to(d): Yes, Sir. The Government of India, Ministry of Human Resource Development has signed Educational Exchange Programme (EEP)/Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the following countries, which expressly talks about mutual recognition of degrees.

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| 1. MONGOLIA | 10. THAILAND | 19. VIETNAM |
| 2. ARMENIA | 11. SRI LANKA | 20. OMAN |
| 3. TANZANIA | 12. MEXICO | 21. NORWAY |
| 4. GUYANA | 13. CROATIA | 22. CHILE |
| 5. ISRAEL | 14. ECUADOR | 23. CZECH REPUBLIC |
| 6. AUSTRALIA | 15. SAUDI ARABIA | 24. BOTSWANA |
| 7. HUNGARY | 16. CHINA | 25. MALAYSIA |
| 8. SYRIA | 17. PORTUGAL | 26. CANADA |
| 9. UZBEKISTAN | 18. ETHIOPIA | |

A number of foreign countries have already accorded equivalence to the +2 stage/degree level qualifications with their corresponding examinations/degrees and Indian students are allowed to pursue higher education in their universities.