

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
LOK SABHA**

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INDIAN TRADE CENTRES

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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has introduced any scheme for setting up of Indian Trade Centres abroad for motivating and channelising NRI investments and Foreign Direct Investment (FDIs); and

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the number of Trade Centres setup/proposed to be set up in various countries, Country-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY(SHRI JYOTIRADITYA M. SCINDIA)

(a)&(b): The Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion is implementing a Central Sector Scheme namely 'Scheme for Investment Promotion' during the 11th Plan. Under this scheme, there is no proposal for setting up of Indian Trade Centres abroad for motivating and channelising NRI investments and Foreign Direct Investment (FDIs).