

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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FINANCIAL AID TO OTHER COUNTRIES
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Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government had given financial aid to other countries;
- (b) if so, the details thereof for the last three years and the current year;
- (c) whether the Government has given any direction or condition for spending the said financial aid; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SMT. PRENEET KAUR)

(a) & (b) Yes. Details of financial assistance provided by India during the last three financial years and the current financial year are enclosed at ANNEXURE-A. In addition, details of Lines of Credit provided by India are also enclosed at ANNEXURE-B.

(c) & (d) India's financial assistance is given free of any conditionalities. The concessional Lines of Credit are provided as soft loans.