GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOME AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1522 ANSWERED ON:09.08.2011 PAKISTANI NATIONALS ON MEDICAL VISA Majhi Shri Pradeep Kumar;Patel Shri Kishanbhai Vestabhai

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Pakistani nationals who visited India on medical visa during the last three years and the current year;

(b) whether a large number of these Pak nationals have gone missing in the country;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the number of such Pak nationals indentified and deported from the country so far?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN)

(a): Details of the number of Pakistani nationals who visited India on Medical Visa during the last three years and the current year are given below:-

Year Number of Pakistani nationals who visited India on Medical Visa

2008 702

2009 908

2010 1204

2011 869 (till 30.06.2011)

(b) to (d): As per information available, 27 Pakistani nationals who have visited India on Medical Visa have not returned to Pakistan. Steps have been taken to verify whether they are still undergoing treatment or taken departure from other Immigration Check Posts.