

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2558  
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CIVIL NUCLEAR AGREEMENT  
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**Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of countries with which India has signed Civil Nuclear Agreement;
- (b) whether the Government has signed such an agreement with Kazakhstan;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether India will get uranium for its reactors from Middle East countries under the agreement; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

- (a) Government has signed bilateral agreements on Civil Nuclear Cooperation with nine countries, namely, the United States of America, the Russian Federation, Argentina, Namibia, Canada, Kazakhstan, France, Republic of Korea and the Czech Republic.
- (b) & (c) Government of the Republic of India and Government of the Republic of Kazakhstan signed an agreement on Cooperation in Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy on 15.04.2011, which provides the legal framework for bilateral cooperation in peaceful uses of nuclear energy.
- (d) No.
- (e) Does not arise.