

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3212  
ANSWERED ON:09.12.2009  
OUTSTANDING SCIENTIST OF INDIAN ORIGIN  
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**Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has launched a programme `Outstanding scientist/technologist of Indian Origin` to bring fresh talent in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any incentives has been planned under the scheme to researchers and entrepreneurs; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF EARTH SCIENCES; MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE; MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS; AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (PRITHVIRAJ CHAVAN)

- (a) & (b): Yes, Madam. The details of the Outstanding Scientists of CSIR from Scientists/Technologists of Indian Origin [OS (STIO)] are attached at Annexure.
- (c) The Scheme launched has not provided any incentives.
- (d) Does not arise.