

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA**

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GULF RETURNEES
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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a)the number of Indians working in Saudi Arabia adversely affected after implementation of the new labour policy `Nitaqat` there;
- (b)the number of Indians who have come back to India after implementation of the said policy, State-wise;
- (c)whether the Government has held any talks with the Saudi Arabian Government in this regard;
- (d)if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (e)the steps being taken for the rehabilitation of such people?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI KODIKUNNIL SURESH)

- (a) to (e): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.