

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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Racism against Indian Students

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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there have been instances of racism against Indian students studying abroad;
- (b) if so, the details thereof during the last three years and the current year, country and year-wise along with the reaction of the Government thereto; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government on the above matter?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

- (a): Instances of racism against Indian students studying abroad have taken place in the past in some countries.
- (b): No such data are centrally maintained.
- (c): The Indian Government and Indian Missions abroad take up issues related to any instance(s) of racism with foreign governments at various platforms.
