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Title : Need to take suitable measures to ensure that the employers and Sponsors do not retain the passports of candidates while recruiting to jobs in foreign countries.

SHRIMATI P. SATHEEDEVI (BADAGARA): Sir, a large number of Indian citizens working abroad are aggrieved as their employers and sponsors keep their passports in their custody while recruiting them to any job in the foreign countries especially in Gulf countries.

I urge upon the Government to take clear and stringent measures against such recruiting agencies and give directions to all Embassies to provide the employees the right to keep their own passports with them after recruitment to any job in the foreign countries.