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Title: Alleged illegal recruitment of women to Gulf Countries in Kerala.

SHRI CHENGARA SURENDRAN (ADOOR): Sir, this is regarding illegal recruitment to Gulf countries which is rampant in Kerala even though there is prohibition of recruitment of women under the age of 30 years. There are so many agencies in the State to recruitment ladies under this age group to Gulf countries. Majority of the recruitments are to Saudi Arabia with the offer of work as housemaid but when they reach there, they are denied the offered job, salary, lodging, medical facilities, etc. In some cases, the women are forced into flesh trade. So, it is submitted that it is high time that the law is enforced prohibiting the recruitment of women under this age group to Gulf countries.