

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3802

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FAKE PASSPORTS AND VISAS

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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether rackets of issuing fake Passports and Visas are operating in the country;
- (b) if so, the number of cases registered in this regard during each of the last three years, State-wise;
- (c) the details of agencies involved therein and the number of persons arrested, punished during the said period, State-wise;
- (d) whether any case of misuse of passports issued to Government officials have been detected during the last three years;
- (e) if so, the details thereof alongwith the action taken against the guilty officials;and
- (f) the steps taken to check the nexus of passport officials and the travelling agencies ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

(SHRI I.D.SWAMI)

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