

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:371
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LIFTING OF SANCTIONS BY U.S.
P.R. KHUTE

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the U.S. has lifted all the sanctions that were imposed on India; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI VINOD KHANNA)

(a) Yes.

(b) The United States imposed economic, defence and technology-related sanctions on India after India's nuclear tests in May 1998. These sanctions were lifted in September 2001. However, certain long standing restrictive policies on transfer of sensitive nuclear and missile technologies to India remain in place.