

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA**

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SETTING UP OF DEVELOPMENT CENTRES
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Computer Sciences Corporation India, a 100 per cent subsidiary of the \$ 11 billion US-based CSC, propose to setup two offshore Development Centres in India;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the places where these centres are likely to be set up;
- (c) whether the Government have agreed to this proposal; and
- (d) if so, the time by which these new Centres are likely to be set up?

Answer

MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND COMMUNICATIONS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN)

(a),(b),(c) and (d): M/s Computer Sciences Corporation India (P) Ltd. formerly known as Policy Management Systems (I) Pvt.Ltd. (PMSI), wholly owned subsidiary of Policy Management Systems Corporation (PMSC) of Columbia, USA - is an offshore development unit under STP scheme at Optel Software Technology Park Indore. This unit became operational in May 1997 and currently has employee strength of about 240.

No other proposals have been received in this Ministry / Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion, from the company.