

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4280
ANSWERED ON:21.12.2005
UN'S MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS
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Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware of the report prepared by a Non- Governmental Organisation, National Social Watch Coalition (NSWC), examining India's progress in meeting the United Nation's millennium development goals as reported in The Deccan Chronicle dated September 12,2005 ;

(b) if so, the facts of the matter reported therein ; and

(c) the stand of the Government thereon ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE), MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS, MINISTRY OF OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS AND MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI OSCAR FERNANDES)

(a), (b) and (c) : Government has not received the report on the Millennium Development Goals of the UN reported to have been prepared by National Social Watch Coalition (NSWC).