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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES PROVIDED BY IT COMPANIES
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

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- (a) The details of employment opportunities provided by the IT companies during the last three years, State-wise ;
- (b) Whether the IT companies have projected more employment opportunities in the near future; and
- (c) If so, the details thereof ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY(DR.SHAKEEL AHMAD)

(a),(b) and (c) : As per ESC the employment opportunities provided by IT companies during the past three years are estimated as below :

2003-04	7,00,000
2004-05	10,50,000
2005-06	12,00,000

Employment opportunities provided by IT companies state wise records are not maintained by ESC, STPI or NASSCOM.As per the eleventh plan (2007-12) committee`s recommendations,the future requirement of the employment opportunities provided by the IT companies in export segment is estimated to be 34 lakhs (direct employment) and 95 lakhs indirect employment generation by FY 2012.