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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

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(a) : the value of exports and the names of the countries to whom the exports were made during the last three years and till date, year-wise and country-wise;

(b) : the position of India in the world in production and export in the field of Information Technology; (c) : the expected growth of production and export in terms of percentage and rupees during the Tenth Five Year Plan;

(d) : whether the export in IT has increased during the current year; and

(e): if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a): The details are given in the Annexure - I.

(b): India's share in the world software & services market has increased from 1.82% in 2001-02 to 2.09% in 2002-03 and about 2.4% in 2003-04. North America which accounts for over 55% of the global IT spend, represented approx.70% of Indian software exports in 2003-04 with EU ranking second at 22.25% of total export. North America remains the dominant market for ITE3-BPO services, accounting for over 80% of the ITES-BPO business in India.

(c): The details are given in the Annexure-II.

(d): Yes, Sir.

(e): Indian Software and services exports registered a growth of 30.5 % in FY 2003-04 clocking revenues of US\$ 12.5 billion.