

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether India has emerged as the second most trusted country in the world in the survey conducted ahead of the meeting of the World Economic Forum in Davos; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
(GEN. (DR) V. K. SINGH (RETD))

(a) & (b) Government is aware of Edelman, a US-based Public relations company having released "2015 Edelman Trust Barometer" survey. The survey placed India at the second place in terms of trust in Government, Business, Media and NGOs. However, the World Economic Forum is not associated with Edelman in relation to the survey in any way.