

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
QUESTION NO 19.11.2009
ANSWERED ON
MEMORANDUM FOR AIPEA .

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Shri Shyamal Chakraborty

Will the Minister of COAL AND MINES be pleased to state :-

(a) whether Government has received a Memorandum from All India Passport Employees Association (AIPEA) ;

(b) if so, the salient points raised in the memorandum; and

(c) the steps Government has taken to mitigate the grievances of Passport employees in the country ?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

(SMT. PRENEET KAUR)

(a) Yes.

(b) The salient points raised in the memorandum relate to improvement in passport issuance system, Passport Seva Project, foreign postings, anomaly in pay scale of Superintendents and transfers of Passport Office employees.

(c) The Ministry has constituted a committee comprising the Administration side and the Staff side to redress the grievances of Passport employees.