

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3665**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.08.2018

**NSG MEMBERSHIP**

3665. DR. RATNA DE (NAG):

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state the outcome of the efforts made and the present status of India's membership of the Nuclear Suppliers Group (NSG)?

ANSWER

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

India's application for membership of the Nuclear Supplier's Group (NSG) remains under consideration of the Group.

The merits of India's candidature have been recognized by a majority of NSG members.

Government continues to engage with the NSG and its members at the appropriate levels for a decision on India's application.

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