

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No-401
ANSWERED ON- 21/07/2023

DOMINATION OF BRICKs

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Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state :-

- (a) Whether China continues to dominate RIC, BRICKS and SCO despite India being a prominent member of said organization;
- (b) If so, the manner in which India's interests are being protected in such scenario;
- (c) The benefits accrued to the country so far attributed to the regional organization like RIC, BRICKS and SCO?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

(SHRI V. MURALEEDHARAN)

(a to c) BRICS, SCO and RIC are multilateral arrangements based on consensus and equality of member states. India participates in these frameworks in an equal manner to discuss multilateral, regional or global issues of our interest and concern.
