

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

STARRED Q. NO. 372

ANSWERED ON 20.12.2024

INDIA'S DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS

†*372. SHRI DEVESH CHANDRA THAKUR

Will the Minister of External Affairs be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of countries with which India does not have any diplomatic relations across the globe;**
- (b) the names of such countries and the reasons for not having diplomatic relations therewith;**
- (c) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to establish relations with the said countries; and**
- (d) the extent to which success has been achieved in this regard?**

ANSWER

MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

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(a) to (d): A statement is laid on the table of the House.

Statement referred to in reply to parts (a) to (d) of the Lok Sabha Starred Question No. †*372 for reply on 20.12.2024 regarding “India’s Diplomatic Relations.”

(a) to (d) There are no United Nations (UN) Member States with whom India does not have diplomatic relations. In addition to having diplomatic relations with all 192 UN Member States, India also has diplomatic relations with two UN Observer States i.e. The Holy See and the State of Palestine and two non-UN Member States i.e. Niue and Cook Islands.
