

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- 4355
TO BE ANSWERED ON- 20/12/2024
INDIAN EMBASSIES

4355. SHRI BALABHADRA MAJHI

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

- (a) the number of countries where India has Embassies across the globe;**
- (b) the number of countries where Indian Embassies have not been opened;**
- (c) whether there is any plan to open Embassy in all those Countries; and**
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefore?**

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

(SHRI KIRTI VARDHAN SINGH)

(a to d) As on date, India has resident diplomatic Missions in 149 United Nations (UN) Member States. India does not have a resident diplomatic Mission in 41 UN Member States and diplomatic relations with these countries are conducted through concurrent accreditation arrangements. The plans to open new Embassies are constantly reviewed by the Government and decisions are taken based on the principle of reciprocity and functional requirements.