

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.593  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.04.2016**

**TRANSFER OF MONEY FROM PAKISTAN**

**†593. SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY:**

**Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to State:**

- (a) whether the Government has taken cognizance of the report of World Bank's migration and remittance fact book 2016 regarding the transfer of billions of rupees to India from Pakistan;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reaction thereto; and**
- (c) the steps taken by the Government to enquire about such huge transfers despite the ban on exchange of foreign currency between the countries?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(a) to (c) The Government was not consulted regarding the information contained in the Migration and Remittance Factbook 2016. The Factbook, which is a product of a trust established by the World Bank carries a disclaimer that the views expressed in the book do not represent the views of the World Bank or the sponsoring organizations.**

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