MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

DEMAND NO. 30

Ministry of External Affairs

A. The Budget allocations, net of recoveries, are given below:

(In crores of Rupees)

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	Major Head			Budget 2005-2006			Revised 2005-2006			Budget 2006-2007		
		iajor Head	Plan	Non-Plan	Total		Non-Plan	Total		Non-Plan	Total	
	Revenue		479.00	3095.58	3574.58	440.60	3353.58		151.90	3312.74	3464.64	
	Capital		286.00	<i>67.4</i> 2	353.42	278.40	109.42	387.82	70.40	160.01	230.41	
	Total		765.00	3163.00	3928.00	719.00	3463.00	4182.00	222.30	3472.75	3695.05	
1.	Secretariat-General Services	2052		120.72	120.72		128.22	128.22		128.04	128.04	
2.	External Affairs											
	2.1 Embassies & Missions	2061		872.43	872.43		893.00	893.00		900.00	900.00	
	2.2 Passport & Emigration	2061		140.55	140.55		158.74	158.74		147.98	147.98	
	2.3 Training	2061		2.00	2.00		2.00	2.00		2.40	2.40	
	2.4 Special Diplomatic											
	Expenditure	2061		841.01	841.01		781.01	781.01		823.01	823.01	
	2.5 International Conferences/											
	Meetings	2061		0.64	0.64		0.64	0.64		0.53	0.53	
	2.6 Entertainment Charges	2061		26.50	26.50		26.50	26.50		21.00	21.00	
	2.7 International Cooperation	2061		58.13	58.13		122.62	122.62		80.37	80.37	
	2.8 Other Expenditure											
	a) Grants to Indian Council											
	for Cultural Relations	2061		57.50	57.50		60.50	60.50		60.50	60.50	
	b) Evacuation of Indians											
	due to war/civil											
	disturbance	2061		0.02	0.02		0.02	0.02		0.02	0.02	
	c) Indo French Forum	2061		0.50	0.50		0.50	0.50		0.30	0.30	
	d) Other Miscellaneous											
	Items	2061		21.78	21.78		25.70	25.70		25.83	25.83	
Total - Other Expenditure				79.80	79.80		86.72	86.72		86.65	86.65	
Total-External Affairs				2021.06	2021.06		2071.23	2071.23		2061.94	2061.94	
Miscellaneous General												
	Services-											
	Loss by exchange	2075		0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01	
4.	Technical & Economic											
	Cooperation with Other											
	Countries and Advances to											
	Foreign Governments											
	i) Bangladesh	3605		51.00	51.00		51.00	51.00		50.00	50.00	
		7605		1.00	1.00		1.00	1.00		0.01	0.01	
		Total		52.00	52.00		52.00	52.00		50.01	50.01	
	ii) Bhutan	3605	479.00	336.11	815.11	440.60	412.11	852.71		397.22	549.11	
		7605	286.00		286.00	278.40		278.40	70.40		70.40	
	***	Total	765.00	336.11	1101.11	719.00	412.11	1131.11	222.29	397.22	619.51	
	iii) Nepal	3605		70.00	70.00		66.00	66.00		65.00	65.00	
		7605	•••	0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01				
	to A Codd and a	Total		70.01	70.01		66.01	66.01		65.00	65.00	
	iv) Srilanka	3605	•••	25.00	25.00		25.00	25.00		25.00	25.00	
	v) Maldives	3605		3.20	3.20		13.20	13.20		6.00	6.00	
	vi) Myanmar	3605	•••	15.00	15.00		22.00	22.00		25.00	25.00	
	vii) Other Developing Countries	3605		339.94	339.94		494.83	494.83	0.01	483.53	483.54	
	viii) Aid to African countries	3605	•••	104.54	104.54		60.98	60.98		60.00	60.00	
	ix) Central Asia	3605	705.00	9.00	9.00	740.00	9.00	9.00		11.00	11.00	
F	Dublic Works	Total	765.00	954.80	1719.80	719.00	1155.13	1874.13		1122.76	1345.06	
5.	Public Works	4059		51.41	51.41		87.31	87.31		129.00	129.00	
6. Housing 4216		 765 00	15.00	15.00	740.00	21.10	21.10	222 20	31.00	31.00		
Grand Total		765.00	3163.00	3928.00	719.00		4182.00	l	3472.75	3695.05		
C.	Plan Outlay	Head of Dev.	Budget Support	I.E.B.R.	Total	Budget Support	I.E.B.R.	Total	Budget Support	I.E.B.R.	Total	
Central Plan 13605		765.00		765.00	719.00		719.00	222.30		222.30		

1. **Secretariat General Services:** This provides for the expenditure on the Secretariat of Ministry of External Affairs including expenditure on External Publicity.

2. External Affairs:

- 2.1 **Embassies & Missions:** This provides for expenditure on Indian Missions/Posts abroad through 163 Missions Posts abroad.
- 2.2 **Passport & Emigration:** The provision mainly caters to expenditure on the computerisation programme of the Passport Offices, Indian Missions abroad (Consular Sections) and cost of printing travel documents. The provision also includes allocation for making payments to State Governments and Union Territories for passport related work. The provision in BE 2006-07 is for anticipated expenditure on Indian Mission/Posts abroad and possible increase in cost of goods and services.
- 2.3 **Training:** The provision made under this head is for organising training programmes for Indian and Foreign Diplomats and other activities of the Foreign Service Institute such as training courses and programmes and purchase of books, etc.
- 2.4 **Special Diplomatic Expenditure:** This provides for discretionary expenditure.
- 2.5 International Conferences/Meetings: This provides for expenditure on multilateral International Conferences/Meetings held in India and expenditure on bilateral Eminent Person Groups.
- 2.6 **Entertainment Charges:** The provision is mainly on account of services related to incoming VVIP visits, airlift charges of the Indian Air Force and upgradation and repair and maintenance work of the Hyderabad House.
- 2.7 International Cooperation: This provides for the expenditure on mandatory payments of contributions to the United Nations and its agencies, Commonwealth Secretariat, Commonwealth Foundation, SAARC Secretariat and Council for

- Security Cooperation in Asia Pacific. The enhancement is due to increase in contribution in Rupee terms on account of possible depreciation of the Indian Rupee vis-a-vis Foreign Currency.
- 2.8 Other Expenditure: This includes provisions for demarcation of boundaries, overseas visits of the Hon'ble Vice President, Haj Goodwill delegations, delegations to UN, External Affairs Hostels & Residential complexes, Grants-in-aid to various institutions, Republic Day and Independence Day celebrations abroad etc. This also includes provision for ICCR to cater to the activities of the council including cost of scholarships provided to foreign students, Grant to Indian Council for World Affairs and Society for Research & Information System etc. Expenditure on training in International Peacekeeping is also covered under this head.
- 3. **Miscellaneous General Services, Loss By Exchange:** The provision under this head caters for the net loss incurred by our Missions/Posts abroad on account of conversion of one currency to another etc. Only a token provision has been made since accurate estimation of requirement is not possible.
- 4. Technical & Economic Cooperation with Other Countries and Advances to Foreign Governments: The provision caters to India's multilateral and bilateral aid and assistance programmes. The allocations reflect India's abiding interest in providing assistance to development projects in friendly countries. This assistance is not only provided to our immediate neighbours, but also to Africa, Central Asia and South East Asia. The provision also includes a Plan component for providing aid assistance to Bhutan. The provision also caters to humanitarian assistance and aid to other countries such as Palestine, Afghanistan etc.
- 5 & 6. **Public Works and Housing:** The provision is primarily for acquisition/construction and upkeep of residences and chanceries abroad.