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Q NO.1170 EFFECTS OF RUSSIA-UKRAINE CRISIS

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RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1170
TO BE ANSWERED ON 30.07.2015

EFFECTS OF RUSSIA-UKRAINE CRISIS

1170. DR. V. MAITREYAN:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government is aware of the developments that arise in wake of the present Russia-Ukraine crisis and its impact on Indo-Russian relationship, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the decision taken by Government would affect our diplomatic and economic relations with Russia;
- (c) whether the diplomatic steps and measures in support of Russia taken by the Union Government to a concrete solution would affect its relationship with UK and USA in future; and
- (d) if so, the diplomatic measures taken by the Union to ease out such apprehensions?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d) Government is fully aware of recent developments in Ukraine. The violence and tragic loss of life in Ukraine are unfortunate. India supports a political and diplomatic solution that would meet the aspirations of all sections of Ukraine's population and take into account the interests of countries of the region and beyond. The Minsk Declaration and Package of Measures of 12 February 2015 offer the way forward towards a peaceful settlement of the situation. India's relations with Russia or countries such as UK and USA stand on their own merit and are not viewed through the prism of developments in Ukraine.



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