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QUESTION NO.3212 AGREEMENTS WITH UAE

March 30, 2017

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3212
TO BE ANSWERED ON 30.03.2017

AGREEMENTS WITH UAE

3212. SHRI RAJKUMAR DHOOT:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that many agreements were recently signed between India and United Arab Emirates (UAE); and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

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

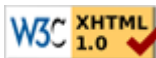
(a) & (b) Yes, several Agreements/MOUs were signed between India and United Arab Emirates during the recent visit of the Crown Prince of Abu Dhabi to India from 24-26 January 2017 as the Chief Guest of our Republic Day celebrations. Following are the Agreements/MoUs signed during the visit:

(i) Agreement on Comprehensive Strategic Partnership between the Republic of India and the UAE.

(ii) Agreement on Oil Storage and Management between Indian Strategic Petroleum Reserves Limited and Abu Dhabi National Oil Company.

(iii) MOU on technical development and cooperation in cyber space between National Security Council Secretariat and National Electronic Security Authority of UAE.

- (iv) MOU between the Ministry of Defence of the Government of the Republic of India and the Ministry of Defence of the Government of UAE on cooperation in the field of Defence Industry.
- (v) MOU between the Government of the Republic of India and the Government of the UAE on Institutional Cooperation on Maritime Transport.
- (vi) MOU between the Directorate General of Shipping, Republic of India and the Federal Transport Authority- Land and Maritime in the UAE on Mutual Recognition of Certificates of Competency as per the provisions of the Standards of Training, Certification and Watch-keeping Convention (STCW78) and amendments thereof.
- (vii) MOU between the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways of the Republic of India and the Federal Transport Authority, Land and Maritime of the UAE on Bilateral Cooperation in the Road Transport and Highways Sector.
- (viii) MOU between the Government of the Republic of India and the Government of UAE on cooperation in Prevention and Combating of Human Trafficking.
- (ix) MOU for the cooperation in the field of Small and Medium Enterprises and Innovation between the Ministry of Economy of United Arab Emirates and Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises of the Republic of India.
- (x) MOU between the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare of the Republic of India and the Ministry of Climate Change & Environment of UAE in Agriculture and Allied sectors.
- (xi) MOU between the Government of the Republic of India and the Government of UAE on mutual exemption of entry visa requirements to the holders of Diplomatic, Special and Official Passports.
- (xii) MOU between Prasar Bharati, India and Emirates News Agency, UAE for cooperation in programme exchange.
- (xiii) MOU between the Ministry of Commerce and Industry of the Republic of India and the Ministry of Economy of United Arab Emirates on trade remedial measures to promote cooperation in areas of mutual interest.
- (xiv) MOU between National Productivity Council and Al Etihad Energy Services Co. LLC.



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