GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA

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CHINESE ASSISTANCE TO PAKISTAN

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(a) whether China is planning to invest around $46 billion in Pakistan for various development deals;

(b) if so, whether the Government has assessed the implications of such investment by China; and

(c) if so, the details thereof along with the precautionary measures taken by the Government in this regard?

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRSbe pleased to state:-

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c) Government has seen reports about Chinese investment in Pakistan in various projects. Government keeps a constant watch on all developments having a bearing on India's security and takes all necessary measures to safeguard it.