

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.539**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.12.2021

**TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS ON INDIAN STUDENTS**

539. SHRI SYED ZAFAR ISLAM :

Will the minister of **External Affairs** be pleased to state :

- (a) whether the Ministry has taken any step for easing travel restrictions on Indian students enrolled at foreign universities to make their travel possible to respective countries; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

[SHRI V. MURALEEDHARAN]

(a) & (b) Yes. The Ministry has taken up with foreign governments the need for easing travel restrictions on Indian students enrolled in foreign universities. Consequently, travel restrictions have been eased for Indian students to travel to many countries including USA, UK, Canada, Australia, Ireland, Germany, Netherlands, Belgium, Luxembourg etc.

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