Ministry of External Affairs  
[Southern Division]  

Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawan  
23-D, Janpath, New Delhi-110001  
Dated 12\textsuperscript{th} April, 2018

To,  

Dr. Nutan Thakur  
5/426, Viram Khand,  
Gomti Nagar,  
Lucknow,  
Pin: 226010.  

Sir/Madam,  

Kindly refer to your RTI application registration no. MOEAF/R/2018/80123/26 dated 22/03/2018 seeking information under RTI Act 2005.

2. As regards your RTI query, the undersigned is Desk Officer for New Zealand, Thailand and the Philippines only and did not provide any inputs/information related with the statement made by Hon’ble President of India in the Joint Sitting of Parliament on 28.01.2018.

3. In case you are not satisfied with the above reply, you can file an appeal within 30 days from the date of receipt of this communication, under Section 19 (1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 to the following:-

Col. Sanjiv Sethi,  
Director (South-I) & First Appellate Authority  
Ministry of External Affairs  
Room No. 3053, Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawan  
23-D, Janpath, New Delhi-110001

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Copy to:  
1) Director (South).............. For information  
2) RTI Cell, MEA  
3) DS (DD), MEA

R.K. Verma  
Deputy Secretary (South) & CPIO  
Tel: 011-49015243  
Email: ussouth2@mea.gov.in
**RTI REQUEST DETAILS**

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Ministry of External Affairs on 02/04/2018 With Reference Number: MOEAF/R/2018/80123

**Remarks**
RTI application is transferred for an appropriate action.

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**Name**
der nutan thakur

**Address**
5/426, viram khand, , gomti nagar., gomti nagar, lucknow, Pin:226010

**State**
Uttar Pradesh

**Country**
Details not provided

**Phone Number**
Details not provided

**Email-ID**
nanthakurlko@gmail.com

**Status**
Urban

**Requester Letter Number**
Details not provided

**Is Requester Below Poverty Line?**
No

**Citizenship Status**
Indian

**Amount Paid**
0 (Received by Ministry of External Affairs) (original recipient)

**Mode of Payment**
Payment Gateway

**Request Pertains to**
USSouth2

**Information Sought**
Transferred under Section 6(3) of the RTI Act, 2005 to the CPIO, MEA and CPIO, PMO for response as the information sought may closely relate to them.
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<td><strong>New Delhi: In his hour-long, maiden address to a joint sitting of Parliament on Monday, President Ram Nath Kovind covered the entire range of issues concerning governance. XXX President Kovind said the Government's diplomatic efforts had ensured a new-found respect for India and increasing role in global affairs.</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Kindly provide the documents belonging to Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) related with the above statements made by the President in his speech/address to joint sitting of Parliament on 28/01/2018, including the Notesheet and the correspondence between MEA and various other offices.</strong></td>
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