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**Sub:** Draft material for reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3953 for 05.09.2012 asked by Shri Nityananda Pradhan regarding International Student Centre.

Sir,

Please refer to your Email dated 31.08.2012 on the subject cited above.

As desired, we forward herewith the draft material to the aforesaid Lok Sabha Unstarred Question for further action at your end.

Thanking you,

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**Draft material for reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3953 for 05.09.2012, regarding International Student Centre asked by Shri Nityananda Pradhan.**

Q. (a) Whether it is proposed to set up International Students Centre to serve as a single window system for foreign students in all the universities and educational centers in the country;

Ans. No such Proposal has been in existence so far.

Q. (b) If so, the details thereof;

Ans. Not applicable in view of 'a' above.

Q.(c) Whether these centers will act as an intermediary mechanism between the students and other stakeholders like the Foreign Regional Registration Office, banks, landlords in case of private accommodation, security agencies and educational institutes and if so, the details thereof;

Ans. Not applicable in view of 'a' above.

Q.(d) Whether it is a centrally funded project; and

Ans. Not applicable in view of 'a' above.

Q.(e) If so, the details thereof?

Ans. Not applicable in view of 'a' above.