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Minister of State for External Affairs, Shri V. Muraleedharan visited the Dominican Republic, Santo Domingo from 25-27 August 2019. During the visit, he called on Foreign Minister Miguel O. Vargas Maldonado and held discussions with Minister of Energy Antonio Isa Conde, Minister of Economy, Planning and Development Juan A. Jimenez Nunez and Minister of Industry Nelson Toca Simo. The Minister of State was accompanied by Joint Secretary (LAC), Mrs. Yojana Patel and Ambassador accredited to Dominican Republic Madhu Sethi.

- 2. During the discussions, the entire gamut of bilateral relations between India and Dominican Republic was reviewed. Both sides expressed their satisfaction at the present state of relations and renewed their commitment to further broaden and strengthen cooperation, both bilaterally, regionally and also at multilateral fora.
- 3. During the visit, an Agreement on Exemption on Visa Requirements for Holders of Diplomatic and Official Passports between the Government of Republic of India and Government of the Dominican Republic was signed.
- 4. The Minister interacted with a cross section of dignitaries, Indian community senior functionaries of the government, India-DR Chamber of Commerce, academia and businessman at the Reception Dinner hosted by Ambassador Madhu Sethi on 26 August 2019.









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