

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1152
TO BE ANSWERED ON 28.11.2019

DIGITAL FOOT PRINT OF CITIZENS IN HANDS OF PRIVATE COMPANIES

1152. DR. K.V.P. RAMACHANDRA RAO:

Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is aware that certain States are sharing sensitive citizens data with private companies to create and digitise foot print of the citizens and allowing it to integrate the data of various Government departments;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Government has come across such incidents particularly from the States of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh; and

(d) whether it is a fact that Telangana State has given all sensitive data of citizens to a private company for integration and maintenance?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(SHRI SANJAY DHOTRE)

(a) to (d): It is informed that, based on the report of Inspector General of Police, West Zone, Hyderabad and I/c SIT, a complaint was lodged by the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) which has been registered vide FIR no.278/2019 on 12.04.2019 at Madhapur Gutalla PS, Cyberabad against Management of M/s IT Grids India Pvt Ltd and others.
