

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1696
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09-03-2018

AADHAAR CARD FOR DISABLED PERSONS

1696. SHRI LAL SINH VADODIA:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that Aadhaar cards of disabled persons, leprosy patients and few of the senior citizens of the country could not be made;
- (b) if so, whether Government is considering upon taken any action for making Aadhaar cards of such people; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD)

(a), (b) & (c): No Sir. Regulation 6 of Aadhaar (Enrolment & Update) Regulations, 2016 provides special mechanism to enrol such persons with biometric exception. Accordingly, enrolment for Aadhaar is done for all residents of the country including persons with disability, missing biometrics or poor quality, finger prints or missing/ amputated limbs etc.
