

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY) had implemented two schemes to increase digital awareness in rural areas of the country namely 'National Digital Literacy Mission (NDLM)' and 'Digital Saksharta Abhiyan (DISHA)' with a cumulative target of training 52.5 lakh persons covering one person per household during year 2014-16. Further, MeitY has initiated a scheme titled "Pradhan Mantri Gramin Digital Saksharta Abhiyan (PMGDISHA)" in 2017 to usher in digital literacy among masses by covering 6 crore rural households (one person per household). Special focus of the PMGDISHA Scheme is on training the beneficiaries on use of Electronic Payment System. The outcome measurement criteria include undertaking at least 5 electronic payments transactions by each beneficiary using UPI (including BHIM app), USSD, PoS, AEPS, Cards, Internet Banking. As on 31st July, 2019, a total of 2.35 crore candidates have been enrolled under PMGDISHA. Training has been imparted to 2.21 crore candidates and out of this more than 1.36 crore candidates have been certified.

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. An amount of ₹ 400 crore has been allocated for PMGDISHA scheme for Financial Year 2019-20.

Availability of Aadhaar data with private companies

3687. DR. K. V. P. RAMACHANDRA RAO: Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Telangana Government has registered a case regarding availability of Aadhaar Data with private companies;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether Government has taken a serious note of the issue and if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD): (a) to (c) Yes, Sir. Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) has registered a complaint with Telangana Police. Based on the Report of Inspector General of Police, West Zone, Hyderabad and I/c SIT, a complaint was lodged by the 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.