

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3243**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 24TH MARCH, 2021/ CHAITRA 3, 1943 (SAKA)

MAKING CENSUS DATA AVAILABLE ONLINE

3243 SHRI SYED ZAFAR ISLAM:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is planning to make Census data available online except the private details so that anybody can find his/her family tree; and

(b) whether there are any plans to make older Census datas available online with some restriction, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI NITYANAND RAI)**

(a) & (b): The individual or household data collected in Census under the Census Act, 1948 are not made public as per the provisions contained in the Act. The aggregated Census data at various administrative levels are released and are available on website www.censusindia.gov.in.
