GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 350

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 04^{TH} FEBRUARY, 2025/ MAGHA 15, 1946 (SAKA)

DATA PRIVACY

350. SHRI SUDAMA PRASAD:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of specific measures taken by the Government to ensure the data privacy and security of personal information collected through the new Central Registration System (CRS);

(b) whether the Government proposes to integrate intend, CRS mobile app with other Government databases, such as Aadhaar and if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has ensured the process of registration in CRS as voluntary; and

(d) 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): Civil Registration System (CRS) personal data is protected at network,

application and system level through a layered security approach. Regular

security audits are conducted and complemented with 24x7 monitoring of

security events for proactive detection of cyber-attacks, if any. Personal

Information is masked in testing and development environments. The

hosting Data Centre is ISO 27001:2022 compliant.

(b): CRS mobile app has been developed for Registrars for registration of birth and death events.

(c) &(d): The registration of births and deaths is mandatory under the provisions of Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1969, (amended in 2023)
