GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1924

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TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.07.2019

AADHAAR CARDS FOR DISABLED PERSONS

1924. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR MONDAL:

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

- (a) whether disabled persons are being forced to move to High Court to get their Aadhaar cards issued; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor along with the steps taken/ being taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

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

(a) and (b): No, Sir. Every resident, including persons with disability /missing biometrics, is eligible for Aadhaar.

Aadhaar (Enrolment & Update) Regulations, 2016 inter-alia contains detailed guidelines for Aadhaar enrolment of all categories of residents including those with disabilities.
