

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.385
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.02.2021

FREE DOMAIN IN LOCAL INDIAN LANGUAGES

385 SHRI PARIMAL NATHWANI:

Will the Minister of Electronics and Information Technology be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether the National Internet Exchange of India (NIXI) has announced that it will offer a free IDN (Internationalized Domain Name) in any of the preferred 22 official Indian language along with every IN domain booked by the registrant;
- (b) if so, the details there of;
- (c) whether the Applicant will also get a free email in the local language; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(SHRI SANJAY DHOTRE)

(a) and (b): Yes, Sir. This is a promotional offer valid upto 31st March, 2021 by NIXI. Any Registrant purchasing a .IN domain will be offered an IDN domain (.भारत) in any of the preferred 22 official Indian languages, absolutely free of cost for one year.

(c) and (d): Yes, Sir. With every IDN domain (.भारत) in any of preferred 22 official Indian languages, NIXI is offering a free e-mail in preferred local language with 1 GB data storage. This email will be active free of cost till validity of .भारत domain.
