## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY **LOK SABHA**

### **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4612**

TO BE ANSWERED ON: 24.03.2021

#### PRESENCE OF SPYWARE AND SURVEILLANCE SOFTWARE

## 4612: DR. T. SUMATHY (a) THAMIZHACHI THANGAPANDIAN: SHRIMATI MANEKA SANJAY GANDHI:

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

- (a) whether the Government has found the presence of spywares or surveillance software such as pegases spyware the country and if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) whether the Government has launched any investigation into the presence, use and/or sale of spyware on surveillance software in the country and if so, the details thereof?

#### **ANSWER**

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

(a) and (b): There is no such information available with the Government.

\*\*\*\*\*