

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
LOK SABHA**

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E-BHARAT PROJECT UNDER E-GOVERNANCE  
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**Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has proposed to implement e-Bharat project under e-Governance in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the funding mechanism involved in this regard; and
- (c) the steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY(SHRI SACHIN PILOT)

(a), (b) and (c): The Government is in a dialogue with the World Bank to explore the possibility of World Bank funding for e-Governance initiatives through a proposed e-Bharat Project. No final decision has been taken in this regard.