

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

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AMENDMENT IN INDIAN POSTAL ACT
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has decided to amend the Indian Postal Act;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which it is likely to be implemented?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI GURUDAS KAMAT)

- (a): Yes, Madam. It has been decided to replace the existing IPO Act 1898 with a new Post Office Act.
- (b): The proposed Post Office Bill is yet to be readied.
- (c): No time schedule has been fixed.