GOVERNMENT OF INDIA COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3290 ANSWERED ON:14.12.2011 MOBILE SCRATCH CARD SCAM Shekhar Shri Neeraj;Singh Shri Yashvir

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

- (a) whether fake mobile scratch cards scam has surfaced in the country, especially in Uttar Pradesh:
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether officials of some telecom companies including Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL) have been found to be involved in the matter;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the action taken by the Government in this regard and also against the persons found involved therein?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI MILIND DEORA)

(a)to(e) No scam of fake mobile scratch cards has been reported by BSNL and MTNL.