

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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GLOBAL INDIAN NETWORK OF KNOWLEDGE
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Will the Minister of OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government has any proposal for the enlargement of the Global Indian Network of Knowledge;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the aims and objectives behind such move?

Answer

MINISTER OF OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS (SHRI VAYALAR RAVI)

(a) to (c) There is no proposal for the enlargement of the Global Indian Network of Knowledge (INK). Global INK is an existing web-based portal for the sharing of knowledge between the Diaspora and resident Indians. This web portal is accessible on the internet from any part of the world. Users can post queries, ideas, events, discussions, and projects which can be taken up by other users for implementation.