

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3682  
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LOCATION BASED SERVICES  
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**Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether in view of the security concerns, the Department of Telecommunications has directed the mobile service providers, functioning in the country, to set up the location based service (LBS) system;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the benefits likely to accrue as a result thereof;
- (c) whether all the service providers have set up the said system;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor, company-wise; and
- (e) the action taken by the Government to ensure that the system is put in place by each company at the earliest?

**Answer**

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

- (a) Yes Madam, in view of the security concerns, the Department of Telecommunications has directed the mobile service providers, functioning in the country, to set up the location based service (LBS) system
- (b) to (e) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.