

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2941  
ANSWERED ON:10.12.2014  
AADHAAR CARD FOR PASSPORTS  
Chaudhary Shri P.P.

**Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the government is considering to make submission of Aadhaar Cards mandatory for making passports by discontinuing police verification; and

(b) if so, the time by which the said decision is likely to be implemented along with the details thereof?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS [GEN. (DR) V. K. SINGH (RETD)]

(a) & (b) There is no proposal to discontinue police verification for issuing of passports by making submission of Aadhar Cards mandatory.