

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF FINANCE  
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE**

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**RAJYA SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3547**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON TUESDAY THE 27<sup>TH</sup> MARCH , 2018**  
**CHAITRA 6, 1940 (SAKA)**

**EFFECT OF GST ON MAKE-IN-INDIA PROGRAMMES**

**3547. DR. PRADEEP KUMAR BALMUCHU:**

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that implementation of GST would lead to a big blow to Government's flagship programme "Make-in-India" in the India's smart phones market, as import duty on import of smart phones would become cheaper;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps being taken by Government to safeguard the domestic markets?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE  
(SHRI SHIV PRATAP SHUKLA)**

**(a):** No sir

**(b) & (c):** Doesn't arise in view of reply at (a) above

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