GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEPARTMENT OF SPACE

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 623

TO BE ANSWERED ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 07, 2023

CHANDRAYAAN MISSIONS

623. SHRI AJAY PRATAP SINGH:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the future Chandrayaan Missions;
- (b) the details of cost incurred on such missions; and
- (c) whether any International space organisation has requested India for the transfer of technology and future space cooperation after the successful Chandrayaan Mission?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (DR. JITENDRA SINGH):

- (a) Building upon the success of Chandrayaan-3, future Chandrayaan missions are undergoing feasibility studies, which shall be put up for Government approval at an appropriate stage.
- (b) As of now, future Chandrayaan Missions are undergoing the overall mission architecture design phase, wherein studies are being done towards finalizing the system configuration, flight profile, identification of critical technologies, required infrastructure, etc. Once these studies are completed, the detailed project report, along with budgetary aspects shall be prepared.
- (c) As of now, after the successful Chandrayaan Mission, no International space organisations have requested India for the transfer of technology. ISRO has robust international collaborations with several spacefaring and non-spacefaring nations and undertakes cooperative activities based on the interest, need and mutual benefit.
