GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS **RAJYA SABHA**

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FEATURES ADDED IN THE NATIONAL e-VIDHAN APPLICATION (NeVA)

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Will the Minister of PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- a) the details of the features added in the National e-Vidhan Application (NeVA) to incorporate linguistic diversity;
- b) whether a pilot program has been conducted in any State to test these features; and
- c) whether there are any plans for automated translation or real-time interfaces in the future to enhance linguistic inclusivity?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND **BROADCASTING**; AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (Dr. L. MURUGAN)

- a) Following features have been added in NeVA to incorporate linguistic diversity:
 - i. Text-to-Text Machine Translation through Bhashini has been integrated to translate the NeVA public portals (including the homepage and individual State Assembly portals) into all 22 Scheduled Regional Languages and English.
 - ii. State-wise interface configuration enables users to operate the application in their respective regional languages.
 - iii. A language toggle feature is available in the Digital Book allowing users to switch the interface language based on preference.
- b) These features are already operational in the States that are live on the NeVA platform.
- c) Machine-assisted automatic translation through Bhashini has already been integrated in the public portals of the NeVA application, as well as in several components of the Member and Secretariat interfaces, enabling enhanced linguistic accessibility.
