

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2118**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 29<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 2016/AGRAHAYANA 8, 1938  
(SAKA)**

**GOOGLE STREET VIEW**

**2118. SHRI PARVESH SAHIB SINGH:**

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

**(a) whether the Government has banned the internet based application 'google street view' on the basis of security concerns;**

**(b) if so, the reasons therefor;**

**(c) whether the Government seeks to address such issues through the Geospatial Information Regulation Bill, 2016; and**

**(d) if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS  
(SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)**

**(a) & (b): Google has submitted a proposal on "Street View" for the Government's permission. The Government has not agreed to the proposal.**

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**(c) & (d): Draft of Geospatial Information Regulation Bill, 2016, for regulating the acquisition, dissemination, publication and distribution of geospatial information of India, is available in public domain at Ministry of Home Affairs website [www.mha.nic.in](http://www.mha.nic.in)**

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