

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 6049**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 11th APRIL, 2017/CHAITRA 21, 1939 (SAKA)

DEATH DUE TO SELFIE

6049. SHRI RAJAN VICHARE:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that India is ranked as number one in incidents of death due to taking of selfies;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether according to a study conducted in 2014, more than 76 people have lost their lives while taking selfies; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto?

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

(a) to (d): National Crime Records Bureau does not maintain such information. Ministry of Tourism has issued a letter dated 10.08.2016 to all State Governments/UT Administration with an advice to take measure to mark selfie danger zones in tourist spots.
