GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2649

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 1ST AUGUST, 2017/SHRAVANA 10, 1939 (SAKA)

DATA OF OCI/PIO CARD HOLDERS

2649. SHRI PARESH RAVAL:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any data on the number of Overseas Citizens of India and Persons of Indian Origin (OCI/PIO) card holders in India; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)

(a) & (b)As per available information, more than 26.20 lakh OCI cards have been issued, and around 2.95 lakh PIO cards have been converted into OCI cards. State wise data in this regard is not maintained.
