GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2070

TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, 7THMARCH, 2018.

Indian Evidence Act

2070. SHRI KODIKUNNIL SURESH

Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to amend the Indian Evidence Act, 1872 to incorporate images and videos captured from mobile phones as primary evidence sufficient for prosecution;
- (b) if so, whether the Government is in consultation with various State Governments in this regard; and
- (c) if so, the response of the State Governments thereto?

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LAW AND JUSTICE AND CORPORATE AFFAIRS

(SHRI P.P. CHAUDHARY)

- (a) Presently, there is no proposal to amend the Indian Evidence Act, 1872 (1 of 1872).
- (b) & (c) Does not arise.