GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEPARTMENT OF SPACE

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3925

TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 2019

INDIAN SATELLITES IN SPACE

- 3925. SHRI T.N. PRATHAPAN:
 - Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:
- (a) whether many satellites of India are there in the international space centre and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government has plans to launch more satellites in the near future and if so, the details of the projects;
- (c) whether there is any non-working satellite of India in the international space centre;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether the Government has taken any action to overcome the challenge of recent crisis that some other nations faced due to the collapse and collision of old non-working satellites in the international space centre; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PG & PENSIONS AND IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (DR. JITENDRA SINGH):

- (a) No Sir.
- (b) No Sir.

(c) & (d)

Do not arise.

- (e) Yes Sir.
- (f) ISRO is a member of Inter Agency Space Debris Co-ordination Committee involving all major space agencies. ISRO has been actively working in this area to reduce the risks related to accidental satellite collisions and space debris.
