

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF SPACE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 934

TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 08, 2023

PRIVATE STARTUPS OFFERING SATELLITE SERVICES IN KARNATAKA

934. SHRI ANNASAHEB SHANKAR JOLLE:

SHRI SANGANNA AMARAPPA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether The number of private startups in the State of Karnataka offering satellite services to global customers;**
- (b) whether the government is likely to accept Public Private Partnership (PPP) for the advancement of space technology and whether there is any proposal under consideration; and**
- (c) If so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC
GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE**

(DR. JITENDRA SINGH):

(a) Three known space startups located in Karnataka are offering satellite services to global customers.

(b) & (c)

In light of the space reforms announced by the Government in 2020, greater participation of Non-Government Entities (NGEs) is envisaged in carrying out end-to-end activities in space sector, under these reforms, Government may consider Public Private Partnership (PPP) for advancement of space technology.
