GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No.3070 TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.12.2019

PLOT TO PRESS PERSONS

3070. DR. T.R. PAARIVENDHAR

Will the Minister of INFORMATION & BROADCASTING be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to give Government flat/house/plot to all accredited press persons;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the total number of accredited press persons working across the country as on date, State-wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE: MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING; AND MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES {SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR}

- (a) & (b) : There is no proposal of the Central Government at present to allot Government accommodation/house/plot to accredited press persons.
- (c): Press Information Bureau (PIB) under the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting grants accreditation to news media representatives living in Delhi-NCR. The total number of accreditation granted by PIB is 2,731.
