

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4264
TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.12.2019

ILLEGAL PRACTICE

4264. SHRIMATI RAMA DEVI:
SHRIMATI RANJEETA KOLI:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES वस्त्र मंत्री
be pleased to state:

- (a) whether several small businessmen have got identity card for artisans issued in collusion with the corrupt officers of handicraft commissioner office to get benefit of craft related schemes;
- (b) if so, whether the Government is likely to get such illegal practices inquired into;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the reaction of the Government thereto?

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ANSWER

वस्त्र मंत्री (श्रीमती स्मृति जूबिन इरानी)
MINISTER OF TEXTILES
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) to (e): No. Aadhaar based Identity Cards called "Pahchan Cards" are issued to genuine artisans after proper verification and in coordination with representative of State Governments.
