#### **GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**

#### **MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING**

#### LOK SABHA

#### **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2708**

#### (TO BE ANSWERED ON 14.12.2021)

### **TELECAST OF AARTIS ON DOORDARSHAN**

## 2708. SHRI SADASHIV KISAN LOKHANDE:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has taken or proposes to take any steps to telecast aartis and other programmes from the world famous religious place of the country, Shri Sai Baba Shrine located in Ahmednagar district of Maharashtra on Doordarshan on regular basis;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

#### ANSWER

# THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING; AND MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS (SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR)

(a) to (c): Prasar Bharati broadcasts the aartis from Shri Sai Baba Shrine live on Akashvani on daily basis from AIR FM Transmitter at 103.7 MHz located in Shirdi since 01.02.2017. Further, programme/serials on "Shri Sai Baba" are also telecast on DD channels.

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