

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEPARTMENT OF SPACE**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3838**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 2015**

**MARS-2 MISSION**

**3838. DR. GOKARAJU GANGA RAJU:**

**SHRI KONAKALLA NARAYANA RAO:**

**Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:**

- (a) the present status of the Mars-2 mission to be launched in 2018; and**
- (b) the estimated cost of the mission/ project?**

**ANSWER**

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

- (a) Next mission to Mars is under study phase and is yet not finalised.**
- (b) Does not arise.**

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