

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.719

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 1st MARCH, 2016/PHALGUNA 11,1937 (SAKA)

MOVEMENT OF PEOPLE ON INDO-MYANMAR BORDER

719. SHRIMATI KOTHAPALLI GEETHA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to change the existing arrangement of free movement of people along the Indo-Myanmar border of the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has received a high-level Committee Report and based on this, the Government is set to change the misnomer related to free border movement and is likely to replicate the model prevalent in villages and areas along the Bangladesh border;

(d) if so, the details and the implementation status thereof;

(e) whether the cross border movement of people will not be curtailed, as they have strong social and cultural ties but would be regulated; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)

(a) & (b): No, Madam.

(c) & (d): No, Madam.

(e) & (f): There is no proposal to change the existing arrangement of free movement of people along the Indo-Myanmar Border, Myanmar Border of the country.
