

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 477
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20-07-2016

INVESTMENT BY E-COMMERCE COMPANIES

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Will the Minister of Electronics and Information Technology be pleased to state: -

- (a) whether the Government has been holding discussions with e-commerce giants for the investment in digital India and startup programmes;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the response received by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI P.P. CHAUDHARY)

(a) and (b): E-commerce is a rising sector in the country and many leading players are involved in this enterprise. The Government's policy framework enunciated in its guidelines on e-commerce have created an enabling atmosphere for 100% FDI in Business to Business e-commerce and 100% FDI in market place model of e-commerce through automatic route.

(c): Does not arise.
