

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA**

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MONITORING ON RE-USE OF STOLEN MOBILES
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the TRAI has recently introduced a monitoring mechanism to keep a check on re-use of stolen mobile phones;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI , PRADHAN)

- (a) No, Sir. TRAI has only initiated an exercise to consider whether a monitoring mechanism is required to keep a check on mobile theft.
- (b) & (c) Do not arise in view of (a) above.