TELECOM REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF INDIA

(AMENDMENT) BILL*

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR): On behalf of Shri Ram Vilas Paswan, I beg to move for leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Telecom Regulatory Authority of India Act, 1997.

MR. SPEAKER: The question is:

"That leave be granted to introduce a Bill to amend the Telecom Regulatory Authority of India Act, 1997."

The motion was adopted.

SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR: I introduce the Bill.**

12.06 hrs.

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INDIA (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR): On behalf of Shri Ram Vilas Paswan, I beg to lay on the Table an explanatory statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for immediate legislation by the Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (Amendment) Ordinance, 2000.

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^{**}Inroduced with the Recommendation of the President

^{****}Treated as laid on the Table of the House.