

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4512
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WRONG MAP OF INDIA
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of cases of publication of wrong map of India which came to the notice of the Government during each of the last three years;
- (b) whether the Government are aware that in a map of India Kashmir has not been shown as its parts as reported by a News Paper titled `Desh ki Dharti`, from Kota dated December 25, 2002;
- (c) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto; and
- (d) the action taken by the Government in the matter?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI HARIN PATHAK)

(a): Year-wise number of cases of publication of wrong maps of India which came to the notice of the Central Government during last three years are as follows:-

YEARS	CASES
2000	3
2001	7
2002	4

(b): The report published in the Newspaper titled `Desh Ki Dharti`, dated 25th December, 2002 about a map of India wherein Kashmir was not shown as its part has not come to the notice of the Central Government.

(c) & (d): Do not arise in view of (b) above.