

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3155
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STATUTORY DEVELOPMENT BOARDS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of Statutory Development Boards working at present in each State;
- (b) whether new proposals for setting up such Boards are under examination; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof alongwith their present status?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D.SWAMI)

(a): There are, at present, three Statutory Development Boards working in Maharashtra namely, the Vidarbha Development Board, the Marathwada Development Board and the Development Board for the Rest of Maharashtra.

(b) & (c): A proposal from Government of Maharashtra has been received for establishment of a separate Development Board for the Konkan region in Maharashtra. The Government, at this juncture do not propose to constitute any new Development Board.