

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2613
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THREE LANGUAGE FORMULA
SIMRANJIT SINGH MANN

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the steps taken to implement the three language formula in various States;
- (b) the steps taken to give more powers to the Linguistic Minorities Commission;
- (c) whether the Government have taken any steps to ensure that the Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Rajasthan and Delhi to implement Punjabi as the second language of the respective States, not by an executive order but by a legislation;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether the Union Government propose to take action against those States who have not filed their language compliance reports as required by the Linguistic Minorities Commission;
- (e) if so, the details thereof ; and
- (g) if not the reasons therefor ?

Answer

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

- (a)to(g): Desired information is being collected from concerned Ministries.