

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2467
ANSWERED ON:14.03.2006
LANDMINE PROOF VEHICLES
Ahir Shri Hansraj Gangaram

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government has provided landmine proof vehicles to Chhattisgarh to deal with the Naxal activities;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Maharashtra has also been provided such vehicles;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

(a) to (e): Yes Sir. Under the Scheme for Modernization of State Police Forces, Government has provided eighteen mine proof vehicles to Chhattisgarh and five such vehicles to Maharashtra to enable the concerned State Governments to deal with the naxal activities.