

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2236
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CONVERSION OF RESIDENCES OF NATIONAL LEADERS INTO MEMORIALS
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number and details of residences of National Leaders located in Delhi which are converted into Memorials as on date;
- (b) whether the Union Government is also contemplating to convert the residence of Babu Jagjivan Ram into a memorial;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the time by which a final decision is likely to be taken in this regard; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD)

(a): The following residences of national leaders in Delhi have been converted into memorials:

i) Teen Murti Bhawan;

ii) 1, Safdarjung Road and 1, Akbar Road; and

iii) 1, Motilal Nehru Place

(b)to(d): No such proposal is under consideration. Government had in a decision taken in 2000 imposed a total ban on the conversion of Government Bungalows into memorials of the departed leaders.