

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TRIBAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2545
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TARGETING OF TRIBALS
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Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether tribals in many States including Gujarat were targeted against after they filed their claims for land rights;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, especially in Gujarat, during the last four years; and
- (c) the steps taken or proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (DR. TUSHAR A. CHAUDHARY)

- (a): No such instances have come to the notice of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs.
- (b) & (c): In view of reply to part (a) above, these questions do not arise.