

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6421
ANSWERED ON:05.05.2010
PRAVASI BHARATIYA AWARDS
Majumdar Shri Prasanta Kumar

Will the Minister of OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any proposal to increase the number of Pravasi Bharatiya Awards;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS (SHRI VAYALAR RAVI)

- (a): No Sir.
- (b): Not applicable.
- (c): The existing number of awards is considered adequate.