

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1424  
ANSWERED ON:03.08.2010  
CREATION OF NEW STATES  
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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Union Government has any proposal to create new States in the country including Vidarbha in Maharashtra;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any meeting with all the political parties and State Governments has been conducted in this regard;
- (d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the recommendations made by the political parties and State Governments and the reaction of the Union Government thereon; and
- (e) the time by which new States are likely to be created?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

- (a): No, Madam.
- (b): Does not arise.
- (c): No, Madam.
- (d) & (e): Does not arise.