GOVERNMENT OF INDIA LAW AND JUSTICE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1513 ANSWERED ON:18.11.2010 REVTEW OF CONSTITUTION Mahajan Smt. Sumitra

Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

- (a) the efforts made so far for the review of the constitution;
- (b) whether continuously increasing number of bills being introduced for bringing amendments in the constitution is indicative of the fact that such a review has become imperative now;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the steps being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF LAW AND JUSTICE (DR. M. VEERAPPA MO1LY)

- (a): Yes, Madam. The Government of India through its Resolution dated 22-2-2000 set up `The National Commission to Review the Working of the Constitution (NCRWC)`. The Commission submitted its report on 31st March, 2002. The full text of the report was made available on the website of the Ministry of Law and Justice. A copy of the report was also forwarded to all Ministries/Departments since the recommendations made by the Commission related to different Ministries/ Departments. Action Taken Report on the recommendations from these Ministries/Department is yet to be received.
- (b), (c), (d): At present there is no proposal under consideration of this Department to constitute further Review Commission.