GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOME AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3431 ANSWERED ON:23.08.2011 PROPOSALS UNDER MODERNISATION OF POLICE FORCE Bapurao Shri Khatgaonkar Patil Bhaskarrao;Gaikwad Shri Eknath Mahadeo;Paranjpe Shri Anand Prakash;Rathwa Shri Ramsinhbhai Patalbhai;Sainuji Shri Kowase Marotrao

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government has received any proposals from various State Governments for modernisation of State Police forces;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the present status thereof, State-wise; and

(c) the time by which the said proposals are likely to be approved alongwith the reasons for the delay in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) to (c): The Ministry of Home Affairs had invited annual action plan proposals from the State Governments under the Scheme for Modernization of State Police Forces (MPF Scheme) for the year 2011-12. Except Andhra Pradesh, all the proposals have been discussed in the High Powered Committee (HPC) meetings held in the Ministry with State Governments and have been approved in principle. Based on the discussions held in the HPC meetings, the State Governments have been requested to re-formulate their plans and send to the Ministry for approval.