

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4222  
ANSWERED ON:20.12.2011  
PROBLEMS OF BENGALI REFUGEES  
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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether Bengali Hindu refugees are facing persecution in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps being taken by the Government in this regard?

**Answer**

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

- (a) &(b): There are no specific reports regarding Bengali Hindus of Bangladesh origin residing in India facing persecution in the country.
- (c): Does not arise.