GOVERNMENT OF INDIA LAW AND JUSTICE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3630 ANSWERED ON:30.07.2009 SETTING UP OF HIGH COURT BENCHES Agarwal Shri Rajendra

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

(a) whether the Government has received proposals from various State Governments for setting up a High Court Benches in their respective States including Meerut, Uttar Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) : Setting up of benches of High Courts away from their principal seats is considered by the Central Government on receipt of a complete proposal from the State Government which has the consent of the Chief Justice of the concerned High Court. The Central Government has not received any such proposal from the Government of Uttar Pradesh.