

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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PROGRAMMES ON FREEDOM FIGHTERS
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to produce and telecast TV serials, films and other programmes on prominent women freedom fighters of the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the number of such serials, films and other programmes produced and telecast on Doordarshan Kendra during each of the last three years, Doordarshan Kendra-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING (SHRI C.M. JATUA)

(a) to (c): The documentary films on "prominent women freedom fighters" of the country have been produced/being produced by Films Division under the Ministry of Information & Broadcasting. These films/documentaries are telecast in various theatres throughout the country for compulsory exhibition and are also telecast on Doordarshan in National hook up. The list of films produced during the last three years and to be produced during the current financial year is placed at Annexure-A.

Doordarshan, however, produces only serials/programmes for telecast on its channels in addition to films/documentaries produced by Films Division. The list of programmes/films on prominent freedom fighters telecast by Doordarshan along with the programmes to be produced by Doordarshan is placed at Annexure-B.