

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1406
ANSWERED ON:21.08.2012
INDIAN RESERVE BATTALION FOR GUJARAT
Rathwa Shri Ramsinhbhai Patalbhai

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government has received any proposal from the State Government of Gujarat with regard to sanctioning of three Indian Reserve Battalions; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the time by which such battalions are likely to be sanctioned?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI JITENDRA SINGH)

(a) to (b): The Government of Gujarat vide letter dated 27.1.2010 has requested for sanction of three India Reserve Battalions at Viramgam of District Ahmedabad, Kaneri of District Junagadh and Kalgam of District Valsad. At present Government of India have no plan to sanction more IR Battalions.