

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:412

ANSWERED ON:26.02.2013

MEETING OF CHIEF SECRETARIES AND DGP

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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Union Government has recently convened a meeting of Chief Secretaries and Director General of Police of various States in New Delhi to discuss issues regarding crime against women and children and atrocities on Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the recommendations/suggestions made therein; and

(c) the follow up action plan of the Government to address the issue?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI R.P.N. SINGH)

(a) to (c): A day long conference of Chief Secretaries and Director Generals of Police on crimes against Women and atrocities against SCs/STs was held in New Delhi on 4th January, 2013. The meeting was presided by the Hon'ble Minister of Home Affairs, Minister of Women and Child Development, Union Minister for Social Justice and Empowerment and Hon'ble Ministers of State for Home Affairs.

The representatives deliberated on various measures of crime prevention, women safety, changes on law, organization, investigation processes and expeditious trials to improve safety and security of women and children.

The suggestions / recommendations emanating from the conference have been forwarded to various Ministries / Departments for appropriate action.