

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4335
ANSWERED ON:16.12.2009
COMMEMORATING BIRTH CENTENARY OF DR. LOHIA
Singh Dr. Raghuvansh Prasad

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of preparation to commemorate Birth Centenary of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia in 2010;
- (b) whether several Members of Parliament have given a written memorandum to the Government in this regard;
- (c) if so, whether the Government has initiated preparations for the celebration of Birth Centenary of Dr. Lohia;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR PLANNING & PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY)

(a) to (e) Yes, Sir. A written memorandum signed by several Members of Parliament has been received by the Government. Government is seized of the matter.