

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6963
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MARRIAGEABLE AGE
Raajhaa Shri Anwhar

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to increase the marriageable age of both boys and girls in the country: and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI MANEKA SANJAY GANDHI)

(a)& (b): As informed by Legislative Department, Ministry of Law and Justice, there is no proposal under consideration to increase the marriageable age of boys and girls.