GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOME AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:916 ANSWERED ON:07.02.2017 Housing Facilities for Women Personnel Ninama Shri Manshankar;Singh Shri Bharat

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of women police personnels in the country at present, State-wise;

(b) whether housing facilities are not available in sufficient number for women police personnel in the country; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)

(a): The number of women police personnel in the country, State-wise is annexed. (Annexure-I)

(b) & (c): 'Police' being State subject, the State Governments have to implement various police reforms and welfare measures, including housing facilities for women police personnel.

Further, police reform measures are also supported through the grants-in-aid released to the State Governments under the Scheme for Modernisation of State Police Force (MPF) by the Ministry of Home Affairs. The Scheme, as originally approved, covers major items of Police infrastructure including construction of residential buildings for subordinate police.