

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3617
ANSWERED ON:19.08.2003
WOMEN IN DELHI POLICE
HARIBHAI PARTHIBHAI CHAUDHARY

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Police personnel and the number of women personnel in Delhi Police as on date and the number who know Judo-Karate out of those;
- (b) whether the Government propose to recruit only women knowing Judo-Karate in Delhi Police;
- (c) if so, the facts thereof;
- (d) whether there is a shortage of women knowing Judo-Karate in Delhi Police; and
- (e) if so, the facts thereof and reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI HARIN PATHAK)

- (a): Out of the total sanctioned strength of 59077 posts in Delhi Police, the number of women police personnel in position is 1862 of whom 21 have expertise in the martial arts.
- (b): No, Sir.
- (c): Does not arise.
- (d)&(e): The training in unarmed combat forms a part of the initial training imparted to all new recruits in Delhi Police.