

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING  
LOK SABHA**

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FILMS ON GREAT PERSONALITIES  
Pathak Shri Brajesh

**Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Prasar Bharati has disbanded the scheme to screen the films made on the lives of great personalities; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING AND CULTURE (SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY)

(a) & (b): Prasar Bharati has informed that Doordarshan telecasts feature films on its national and regional channels on a regular basis. Films on eminent national leaders are also telecast from time to time. Films on Mahatma Gandhi, Bhagat Singh and Jai Prakash Narayan are some such films telecast in recent months.