

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2767  
ANSWERED ON:10.05.2006  
BAN ON TINNED FOOD  
Yadav Shri Baleshwar

**Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government is contemplating to ban tinned food keeping in view the increase in various diseases due to its consumption;
- (b) if so, the stage at which it stands at present; and
- (c) the time by which action in this regard is likely to be taken?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

- (a): There is no proposal under consideration to ban tinned food under PFA Rules, 1955 at present.
- (b) & (c): Question does not arise.