

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3280
ANSWERED ON:14.12.2006
NATIONAL FINANCIAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION FOR DNT
Rathod Shri Harisingh Nasaru

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received representations from various quarters for setting up a National Financial Development Corporation for Denotified Tribes, Nomadic and Semi Nomadic Tribes (DNTs);
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SMT. SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c) Requests have been received for creation of separate Corporation for these groups on the lines of National Finance & Development Corporation for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes. The National Commission for Denotified Tribes, Nomadic and Semi Nomadic Tribes has already been set up to study the various issues relating to welfare of these communities.