

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1934
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CHANGE OF DEFINITION OF PMF
Yadav Shri Baleshwar

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether, in view of distinct duties and responsibilities of Para-Military Forces (PMF), the Government is considering to place them separate from the definition of `Police`.
- (b) if so, the time by which the Government is likely to announce its decision in this regard; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

- (a) : The Central Para-military Forces are Armed Forces of the Union under their respective Acts.
- (b)&(c) : Does not arise.