

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(DEPARTMENT OF OFFICIAL LANGUAGE)

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †1211
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 21TH AUGUST, 2007/SRAVANA 30, 1929 (SAKA)

ENCYCLOPAEDIA OF OFFICIAL HINDI LANGUAGE

†1211. SHRI RAGHUVeer SINGH KOSHAL:

Will the Minister of **HOME AFFAIRS** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has prepared "Encyclopaedia" of the official Hindi Language;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether there is any system for comparative development updating and upgradation of the above Encyclopaedia with the other languages of the world; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI MANIKRAO H. GAVIT)

(a): **The Department of Official Language in the Ministry of Home Affairs who deal with matters relating to official language have not prepared any encyclopaedia of Hindi as Official Language. Neither Ministry of Human Resource Development who deal with promotion of Hindi as a language have prepared any such encyclopaedia.**

(b) to (d): **Do not arise.**
