

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 6148**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 11TH APRIL, 2017/ CHAITRA 21, 1939 (SAKA)

BHARAT RATNA AWARD

6148. SHRI M. MURALI MOHAN:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is considering to confer the Bharat Ratna Award to former Chief Minister and prominent film star, late Shri N.T. Rama Rao (NTR); and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)**

(a) & (b): Recommendations for Bharat Ratna are made by the Prime Minister to the President. No formal recommendations for this are necessary.
