

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1428**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2017 / SHRAVANA 3, 1939 (SAKA)**

**FITNESS LEVEL FOR IPS OFFICERS**

**1428. SHRI PRALHAD JOSHI:**

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

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to set parameters for fitness level for IPS officers and if so, the details thereof;**
- (b) whether fitness levels will affect their promotions; and**
- (c) the benchmark to consider optimum level of fitness?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(a) to (c): Yes, Madam. The Government of India is considering to amend the relevant rules to incorporate the criteria of physical fitness as a mandatory measure for promotion of IPS officers to various grades in IPS. The matter is under examination in consultation with stake holders and modalities are under finalization.**

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