

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 65**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 11<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2018/AGRAHAYANA 20, 1940 (SAKA)**

**CHANGE IN NAMES OF CITIES**

**65. SHRI G. HARI:**

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

**(a) whether many proposals of the State Governments for change of names of cities and towns and villages are pending with the Government;**

**(b) if so, the details thereof;**

**(c) whether the Government has given consent to renaming at least 25 towns and villages across the country during the past one year; and**

**(d) if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS  
(SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)**

**(a) & (b) : 11 proposals received from State Governments for change of names of villages are pending in Ministry of Home Affairs. A list is at Annexure-I.**

**(c) & (d) : The Ministry of Home Affairs has given its 'No objection' to rename 22 villages, towns and Railway Stations in the Country since December, 2017.**

**A list is at Annexure-II.**

**List of proposals pending for approval.**

- 1. Village "Salemabad" as "Shrinimbark Tirth" in District Ajmer, Rajasthan.**
- 2. Village "Wansoi" as "Wonthoi" in District Tuensang, Nagaland**
- 3. Village "Godwadi" as "West Umbraj" in District Satara, Maharashtra.**
- 4. Village "Tamkong" as "Tamkoang" in District Mon, Nagaland.**
- 5. Village "Lula Ahir" as "Krishan Nagar" in District Rewari, Haryana.**
- 6. Village "Durjanpur" as "Shivdham" in District Katni, Madhya Pradesh.**
- 7. Villages " Mohammadpura" as "Meri Ka Khera", "Nawabpura" as " Nai Sarthal" and "Rampura Azampura" as "Sitaramji Ka Khera" of District Chittorgarh, Rajasthan.**
- 8. Village "Bal Ragdan" as Bal "Rajputan" in District Karnal, Haryana.**
- 9. Village "Old Mangkhi" as "Mungankhyun" in District Tuensang, Nagaland.**
- 10. Village "Kutia Kheri" as "Veerpur" in District Hisar, Haryana.**
- 11. Village "Chor Baori" as "Vijay Baori" in District Udaipur, Rajasthan.**

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**List of Villages given 'No objection' to rename**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Village</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>NOC issued on</b>
1.	Village "Arikkod" as "Areekode" in District Malappura	Kerala	15.12.2017
2.	Village "Laxman Garh(Adawala)" as "Adawala" in District Rajasamand.	Rajasthan	01.02.2018
3.	Village "Landgewadi" as "Narsinhagaon" in District Sangali.	Maharashtra	01.02.2018
4.	Village "Samphur" as "Sanphure" in District Kiphire.	Nagaland	01.02.2018
5.	Village "Pindari" as "Pandu-Pindara" in District Jind.	Haryana	01.02.2018
6.	"Robertsganj" Railway Station as "Sonbhadra" Railway Station in District Sonbhadra.	Uttar Pradesh	23.03.2018
7.	"Gulbarga" Railway Station as "Kalaburagi" Railway Station in District Gulbarga.	Karnataka	23.03.2018
8.	"Panki" Railway Station as "Panki Dham" Railway Station in District Kanpur.	Uttar Pradesh	04.04.2018
9.	Village "Ismailpur" as "Pichanwa Khurd" in District Jhunjhunu.	Rajasthan	11.04.2018
10.	Village "Miyon Ka Bara" as "Maheshnagar" in District Barmer	Rajasthan	09.05.2018
11.	"MUGHAL SARAI" Railway Station as " Pt. DEEN DAYAL UPADHYAYA JUNCTION" in District Chandauli.	Uttar Pradesh	15.05.2018
12.	Village "Narpara" to "Narpura" in District Jalore	Rajasthan	15.06.2018
13.	Village "Kalloor Vadakkum Muri" as "Kadukutty" in District Trichur	Kerala	19.07.2018
14.	Town "Nagar Untari" as "Shri Banshidhar Nagar" in District Garhwa.	Jharkhand	29.08.2018
15.	Tilda Railway Station as Tilda-Neora in District Raipur.	Chhattisgarh	29.08.2018
16.	Village "Nakti" as "Nayanpur" in District Satna	Madhya Pradesh	10.09.2018
17.	Village "Pallikkara II" as "Kottikulam" in District, Kasaragod.	Kerala.	28.09.2018
18.	Village "Rasuiya Bhatan" as "Radheynagar" in District Chhatarpur.	Madhya Pradesh	28.09.2018.

<b>19.</b>	<b>Town “Birshingpur Pali” as “Maa Birasini Dham” in District Umaria.</b>	<b>Madhya Pradesh.</b>	<b>28.09.2018</b>
<b>20.</b>	<b>Village “Todi Kheri” as “Sarna Kheri” in District Jind.</b>	<b>Haryana</b>	<b>12.10.2018</b>
<b>21.</b>	<b>Village “Nagewadi” as “Nagnathnagar” of District Sangli.</b>	<b>Maharashtra</b>	<b>05.12.2018.</b>
<b>22.</b>	<b>Village “Khizrabad” as “Pratap Nagar” in District Yamunanagar</b>	<b>Haryana</b>	<b>05.12.2018.</b>

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