

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2188**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 20TH DECEMBER, 2022/ AGRAHAYANA 29, 1944
(SAKA)**

HONOURING OF FAMILIES OF FREEDOM FIGHTERS

†2188. SHRI GOPAL CHINNAYA SHETTY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has formulated/proposed to formulate any effective policy on the grand occasion of 75th anniversary of independence to honour the families of brave sons of the country who laid down there lives while playing an important role in achieving freedom for the country between 1857 and 1947; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI AJAY KUMAR MISHRA)**

(a) & (b) During the commemoration of 75th anniversary of independence, Ministry of Culture(MoC), Government of India in collaboration with the State/UT governments and the civil society have organised nearly 18,000 events in memory of freedom fighters all over the country and abroad.

In order to honour the brave freedom fighters of our country, MoC has uploaded nearly 9,000 stories under Unsung Heroes (<https://amritmahotsav.nic.in/unsung-heroes.htm>) and Digital District Repository (<https://amritmahotsav.nic.in/digital-district-repository.htm>).

MoC, in collaboration with the Amar Chitra Katha, has published 3 books namely:

- 1. India's Unsung Heroes: The Brave Women of our Freedom Struggle – comprising 20 personalities (<https://amritmahotsav.nic.in/flip-book/Unsung-Heroes-Comic.html>).**
- 2. Women in Power: Elected to the Constituent Assembly – comprising 15 personalities (<https://amritmahotsav.nic.in/flip-book/women-in-power.html>).**
- 3. Tribal Leaders of the Freedom Struggle – comprising 19 personalities (<https://amritmahotsav.nic.in/flip-book/Tribal-Freedom-Fighters.html>).**
