

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3153
TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.08.2023**

CASTE BASED DATA

†3153. SHRI DEEPAK BAIJ:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the data on the basis of which the welfare schemes are being run by the Government are obsolete due to which the benefits of the schemes are not reaching the right person and if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) the details of the steps taken by the Government to get accurate information about the caste based data?

**ANSWER
MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
(SHRI RAMDAS ATHAWALE)**

- (a): No Sir, Government of India regularly conducts surveys through various Ministries such as M/o Statistics and Programme Implementation, M/o Education, M/o Health and Family Welfare, M/o Agriculture & Farmers Welfare etc. Data collected through these surveys is used in policy formulation, wherever required and applicable.
- (b): Does not arise.
