

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1450**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 11<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2020/MAGHA 22, 1941 (SAKA)**

**CONFERMENT OF BHARAT RATNA**

**1450. SHRI A. GANESHAMURTHI:**

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

**(a) whether the Union Government has any proposal for conferment of “Bharat Ratna” to the Father of the Nation, Mahatma Gandhi;**

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

**(c) if not, the reasons therefor?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS  
(SHRI NITYANAND RAI)**

**(a) to (c): The decisions regarding award of Bharat Ratna are taken from time to time. NO formal recommendations for this are necessary.**

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