

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2417
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.05.2016

Barefoot Historians

2417. SHRI RAOSAHEB DANVE PATIL:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government/Indian Council of Historical Research (ICHR) is considering any proposal to develop a band of Barefoot Historians to take the country's history to the peoples' doorstep in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the benefits of the said scheme;
- (c) whether the ICHR proposes to bring out children's history books and historical documents; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)**

- (a) & (b): No Madam. There is no such proposal at present under consideration of the Government/ Indian Council of Historical Research (ICHR).
- (c) & (d): No Madam.
