GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO 3282 TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.08.2016

SELF DEFENCE TRAINING TO WOMEN

3282. SHRIMATI REKHA VERMA:

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to provide self defence training to women in schools, gram panchayats and offices in view of increasing incidents of atrocities on them in the country; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the policy, if any, proposed to be made in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHANA RAJ)

(a) & (b) Ministry of Home Affairs has informed that an advisory on comprehensive approach to crime against women has been issued on 12th May, 2015 to all States/UTs which inter-alia advised to encourage Self Defence Training for women by Police also. Further, the self defence training for girls in the secondary schools is provided under Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA).
