

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1876

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 03rd AUGUST, 2016/ SRAVANA 12, 1938 SAKA)

WOMEN PERSONNEL IN DELHI POLICE

†1876. SHRI PRABHAT JHA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the number of women personnel in Delhi Police is less than 10 per cent;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Central Government had approved 33 per cent reservation to women in the police force of all States/Union Territories including Delhi;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether any recruitment process is being conducted to ensure that women personnel must constitute 33 per cent of Delhi Police; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)

(a) and (b): As reported by Delhi Police, there are 7166 women police personnel in Delhi Police out of 76461 police personnel, which comes to 9.37 %.

(c) and (d): Government of India has approved reservation of 33% for women horizontally and in each category (SC, ST, OBC and others) in the direct recruitment in non-gazetted posts from Constables to Sub-Inspector in the Police forces of all the Union Territories including Delhi

Police. The reservation will be available for women against all such vacancies existing on 26th March, 2015 and vacancies arising thereafter. Advisories have been issued to all the State Governments to increase women representation in their Police Force to 33%.

(e) and (f): Delhi Police has reported that they have already started implementing the above decision of Government of India. Delhi Police has already conveyed vacancies of Constables (Exe.) (3115 male and 1554 female) and 204 vacancies of Women Sub-Inspector (Exe.) to Staff Selection Commission for direct recruitment.
