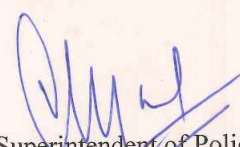


**PROFORMA**

1. Parliament Question No. : Lok Sabha Provisional Starred Qn.Dy.No.2846
2. Raised by Member of Parliament : S/Shri Shivaji Mane & Mansinh Patel, MPs.
3. Date for answer in Parliament : 20/2/2003
4. Due date for sending reply : Urgently by return fax

Sl. No	Question/Verbatim	Answer
(a)	Whether the Govt. have conducted any state-wise survey in regard to the atrocities, rapes and crimes being committed against the persons belonging to the scheduled castes and scheduled tribes during the last 3 years.	Administration may reply. Police has not taken up any such survey.
(b)	If so, the state-wise number of the cases and its percentage of cases registered in the court;	In this U.T. only one case vide crime No.822/2002 U/s451/354 IPC r.w.s 3(I)(xi) SC & ST (POA) Act,1989 was registered at PS Aberdeen on 17/8/02 in which an aboriginal tribal girl Miss Lafa aged 17 years R/o. Tirur forest was molested by one M.Raju S/o.Muniyandi 32 years R/o. Nayagaon, in G.B.Pant Hospital at Special Ward No.7. The accused was arrested and remanded to judicial custody. On completion of investigation, the case has been chargesheeted and same is pending trial in the court.
©	The names of the States where the percentage is very high	Govt. may reply.
(d)	The number of cases disposed in the courts during the said duration and	The aforesaid case is pending trial in the court
(e)	The steps taken by the Govt. to combat these offences	The police takes prompt legal action as and when such incident is reported. It is also insured through Jarawa Protection force that the rights of tribals are not infringed upon.

  
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