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This is regarding Admitted Lok Sabha Provisional starred Question Dy. No. 2846 for answer on 20/2/2003 raised by Shri. Shivaji Mane and Shri. Mansinh Patel, MPs about atrocities on SCs and STs. The Govt. of India has desired this Administration to send the requisite information in respect of the following question immediately.

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In response to our note at para 53-54/N, the Dy. SP (HQ) vide his U.O. Note at para 55/N has furnished the reply to the Parliament question which may kindly be seen 60/C. Based on this report the material for the proposed reply is as under :

SINo	Question	Material for Proposed Answer
a)	Whether the Govt. have conducted any State-wise survey in regard to the atrocities, rape and crimes being committed against the persons belonging to the SCs & STs during the last three years;	No. Sir
b)	If so, the State-wise number of the cases and its percentage of the cases registered in the courts;	Do not arise, in view of reply in respect of Part A.
c)	The names of the States where the percentage is very high;	
d)	The number of cases disposed in the courts during the said duration; and	
e)	The steps taken by the Govt. to combat these offences?	The Police takes prompt legal action as and when incident of atrocities are reported.

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Material for supplementaries infact the incidents of atrocities on the STs of this UT are rare. At present there is only one case registered under Section 451/354IPC read with Section 3(1) (11) SC and ST (POA) Act, 1989. There are no SCs declared in relation to this UT.

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If approved, we may send a reply on the above lines to the GOI, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment. Accordingly a draft fax message is placed opposite in file for perusal and approval please.

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