

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CULTURE
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No.693
TO BE ANSWERED ON 23.07.2018**

VEER SAVARKAR MEMORIAL IN FRANCE

No.693. SHRIMATI POONAM MAHAJAN:

Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to construct Veer Savarkar's Memorial at Marseilles in France;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the time by which it is likely to be constructed;
- (d) whether the Government of France has earmarked land for the construction of the said memorial; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE (I/C) FOR CULTURE AND MINISTER OF STATE FOR
ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE
DR. MAHESH SHARMA**

(a) to (e): The Ministry of Culture has not received any proposal for construction of Veer Savarkar's Memorial at Marseilles in France. As per information available with the Ministry of External Affairs, Government of France has not earmarked land for the construction of the said memorial.
