

BIO-DATA OF SHRI RAMAKANT D. KHALAP

Khalap, Shri Ramakant Dattaram Cong(I), (Mandrem): b. at Mandrem on 5th August, 1946; m. to Nirmala; ed. B. Sc. L.L.B; Advocate- practices in the High Court of Judicature of Bombay, Goa Bench; knows English, Konkani, Hindi, Marathi and working knowledge of Portuguese and French; Member, Third Legislative Assembly 1974-1977; Member, Fourth Legislative Assembly 1977-1979; Member, Fifth Legislative Assembly 1980-84; Member, Sixth Legislative Assembly 1984-89; Member, First Legislative Assembly of the State of Goa 1989-94; Leader of Opposition Party from 1980-1990 and 1991-94; Deputy Chief Minister from March, 1990 to December, 1990; General Secretary of Maharashtrawadi Gomantak Party from 1981-86; President of M.G. Party elected by the party from 1981-86; President of M.G.Party elected by the party convention held in 1986; Chairman, Mapusa Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd. 1977-1984, Director from 1984 to 1988 and Chairman again from May, 1988; Member, Panaji Gymkhana, Goa International Centre; Member, Committee on Delegated Legislation 1974-1978, 1984-86; Member, Committee on Petitions 1977-79; Member, Estimates Committee 1977-78; Chairman, Estimates Committee 1977-81; Member, Privileges Committee 1974-81 and 1984-86; Member, Public Accounts Committee 1976-77, 1984-86; Member, Committee on Public Undertakings 1985-86; Member, Rules Committee 1980-81; nominated on Panel of Presiding Members 1976-8; Elected Member of Parliament 1996 and was the Union Minister of State for Law and Judiciary; Elected Member of the Third Legislative Assembly of the State of Goa in June 1999; Member, Public Accounts Committee 1999-2000; Member, Committee on Privileges 1999-2000.

- Social activities: - Education, Art, Culture, Sports, Co- operatives.
- Favourite pastime: - Music and Reading books
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