## #489988

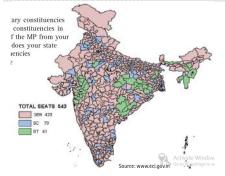
Why do you think the nationalist movement supported the idea that all adults have a right to vote?

## Solution

Under colonial rule, the people had lived in fear of the British government and did not agree with many of the decisions that they took.

- But they faced great danger if they tried to criticised these decisions.
- · The freedom movement changed this situation and the nationalists began to openly criticise the British government and make demands.
- They demanded that there be elected members in the legislature with a right to discuss the budget and ask questions.
- That is why nationalist movement supported the idea of the universal adult franchise so that the people can take part in the decision making of the country.

## #489993



In this 2004 map of Parliamentary constituencies alongside, roughly identify the constituencies in your State. What is the name of the MP from your constituency? How many MPs does your state have? Why are certain constituencies coloured green while others are coloured blue?