



Dissolution of the 17th Lok Sabha

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The [Union Cabinet](#) chaired by the [Prime Minister](#) recommended the **dissolution of the 17th Lok Sabha.**

- According to **Article 83(2)** of the constitution, the **completion of five years** from the first day of its meeting **amounts to the dissolution of the Lower House of Parliament.**
 - A dissolution ends the very life of the existing House and **a new House is constituted after general elections are held.**
- However, the Lower House can also be **dissolved earlier** by the [President](#) on the advice of the Prime Minister.
- It can also be dissolved if the President feels that no viable government can be formed after the **resignation or fall of the previous government.**
- [Rajya Sabha](#), being a permanent House, **is not subject to dissolution.**

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