

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1052**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 19TH DECEMBER, 2018/ AGRAHAYANA 28, 1940
(SAKA)**

KILLING OF PARAMILITARY FORCES

1052. SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR GUPTA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that large number of our paramilitary personnel have been killed in recent times;

(b) if so, the number of such casualties during the last three years, year-wise; and

(c) the modern facilities and equipment provided to them to combat this situation without suffering much or no loss of life?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)**

(a) & (b): The number of Central Armed Police Force (CAPFs) & Assam Rifles (AR) personnel killed in action during the last three years upto 30.11.2018, are as under :-

Force	2016	2017	2018
Central Reserve Police Force	43	52	26
Border Security Force	18	8	22
Indo-Tibetan Border Police	0	0	0
Sashashtra Seema Bal	1	2	1
Central Industrial Security Force	0	1	2
Assam Rifles	9	8	6

(c): Keeping in view the threat perception and combative needs of CAPFs, state-of-the-art surveillance equipments, various critical weapons, Bomb Detection and Disposal Equipments, Un-armed vehicles (UAVs), Bullet Resistant Helmets and Jackets, Thermal Imagers, Jammers, Night Vision and Laser fencing etc. are provided. Provision of weaponry and equipment to upgrade capabilities of CAPFs is a continuous process.
