

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
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OUTCOME OF THE VISIT OF ALL-PARTY PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATIONS

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Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state :-

- (a) the countries to which the all-party parliamentary delegations were sent to rally global support against terrorism, post Pahalgam terror attack;
- (b) who led the delegations and who were the members of delegations;
- (c) how productive was the engagement of the delegations with the world leaders, Indian diaspora and policy circles and the details thereof?

ANSWER

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(a) to (c) Seven all-party delegations travelled to a total of 33 countries to convey India's strong national consensus and resolute approach to combating terrorism in all its forms and manifestations. Each delegation comprised Hon'ble Members of Parliament and eminent personalities from different political parties across India, as well as veteran diplomats. The details are enclosed at Annexure 1.

The delegations were warmly received and held substantive discussions with important and influential interlocutors in the executive and legislative branches, media, think-tanks and Indian community. They briefed their interlocutors on the Pahalgam terror attack and Operation Sindoor and also the long history of Pakistan-sponsored terror attacks in India. The delegations were able not only to raise awareness on Pakistan's complicity in terrorism on a global scale but also to address Pakistani propaganda on Jammu and Kashmir and Operation Sindoor. All their interlocutors unequivocally condemned the use of terrorism against India, with several of them recognizing India's right to defend itself against terrorism.

Annexure 1

Group No	Members	Countries Visited
Group 1	Shri Baijayant Panda - Leader Dr. Nishikant Dubey Smt. S. Phangnon Konyak Smt. Rekha Sharma Shri Asaduddin Owaisi Shri Satnam Singh Sandhu Shri Ghulam Nabi Azad Amb. Harsh Vardhan Shringla	Bahrain Kuwait Saudi Arabia Algeria
Group 2	Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad - Leader Dr. Daggubati Purandeswari Smt. Priyanka Chaturvedi Shri Gulam Ali Dr. Amar Singh Shri Samik Bhattacharya Dr. M. Thambidurai Shri M. J. Akbar Amb. Pankaj Saran	France Italy Denmark UK EU (Belgium) Germany
Group 3	Shri Sanjay Kumar Jha - Leader Smt. Aparajita Sarangi Shri Brij Lal Dr. John Brittas Shri Pradan Baruah Dr. Hemang Joshi Shri Abhishek Banerjee Shri Salman Khurshid Amb. Dr. Mohan Kumar	Japan Korea Singapore Indonesia Malaysia
Group 4	Dr. Shrikant Eknath Shinde - Leader Ms. Bansuri Swaraj Shri E T Mohammed Basheer Shri Atul Garg Dr. Sasmit Patra Shri Manan Kumar Mishra Shri S.S. Ahluwalia Amb. Sujan Chinoy	UAE DR Congo Sierra Leone Liberia
Group 5	Dr. Shashi Tharoor- Leader Dr. Sarfraz Ahmad Shri Tejasvi Surya Shri G M Harish Balayogi Shri Shashank Mani Shri Bhubaneswar Kalita Shri Milind Deora Amb. Taranjit Singh Sandhu	Guyana Panama Colombia Brazil USA

Group 6	Smt. Kanimozhi Karunanidhi- Leader Shri Rajeev Rai Capt. Brijesh Chowta Shri Prem Chand Gupta Dr. Ashok Kumar Mittal Amb. Manjeev Singh Puri	Russia Greece Slovenia Latvia Spain
Group 7	Smt. Supriya Sule - Leader Shri Rajiv Pratap Rudy Dr. Vikramjit Singh Sahney Shri Manish Tewari Shri Anurag Singh Thakur Shri Lavu Sri Krishna Devarayalu Shri Anand Sharma Shri V. Muraleedharan Amb. Syed Akbaruddin	Qatar South Africa Ethiopia Egypt
