GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3286

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 06TH DECEMBER, 2016/ AGRAHAYANA 15, 1938 (SAKA)

SSB FOR UN PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS

3286. SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is considering to deploy the Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB) overseas for United Nations Peacekeeping Operations; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

- (a) and (b) There are three types of United Nations(UN) assignments for which nominations are made by the Ministry of Home Affairs:-
- (i) Deployment of UN CIVPOL (Civilian Police) Officers.
- (ii) Deployment of Officers on Secondment with UN Missions.
- (iii) Deployment of Formed Police Units (FPUs) from Central Armed Police Forces (CAPFs) with UN Missions.

6 FPUs are already deployed for UN Mission. In addition, Government of India has approved deployment of 3 FPUs including one FPU from SSB.
