

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 927**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 22<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER, 2016/AGRAHAYANA 1, 1938  
(SAKA)**

**RESTRUCTURING PLAN FOR CRPF**

**927. SHRI K.N. RAMACHANDRAN:**

**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

**(a) whether the Government is contemplating an overhaul of the Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF) and turning it into a world class counter-insurgency force in order to keep pace with the dynamic nature of insurgency and terror situations;**

**(b) if so, the details thereof; and**

**(c) the steps taken by the Government to formulate a suitable reorganisation and restructuring plan for CRPF in the light of the requirements due to various threats to internal security in the country and its time bound implementation/execution?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(a) to (c): The CRPF is deployed to assist the civil administration under the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations in the matter relating to maintenance of public order, internal security and counter insurgency. The strengthening of CRPF, by restructuring and re-organising it from time to time, is a continuous and ongoing process. The Government takes suitable steps as per the requirements to keep pace with the dynamic nature of insurgency and law and order situations.**

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