GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 872

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 7TH FEBRUARY, 2017/ MAGHA 18, 1938 (SAKA)

DESTRUCTION OF SEIZED DRUGS

872. SHRI FEROZE VARUN GANDHI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a): whether the procedures prescribed for destruction of contraband seized by security forces is not being followed leading to re-circulation of such drugs in the market;

(b): if so, the steps being taken to ensure that the said procedures are fully implemented; and

(c): the details of the contraband seized and destroyed during the last three years?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)

(a) No Madam. GOI has prescribed detailed procedure for disposal of seized drugs under GSR notification 38(E) dated 16.01.2015 which is mandatory for all the drug law enforcement agencies.

(b) The seized drugs are disposed off only after obtaining order from the concerned court by the Drug Disposal Committee as specified in the guidelines or notifications in this regard.

(c) The details of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances seized and destroyed during the last three years are enclosed as Annexure-A & B.

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All India Drug Disposal for the period 2014 to 2016*

Qty in Kgs.

Year	Acetic Anhydride	Cocaine	Ganja	Ephedrine & Pseudo ephedrine		Heroin	Morphine	Metha qalone	Opium	Opium Liquid	Other Manufac tured Drugs	Other Psychotropic substances	Poppy Husk & Poppy Straw	Injections (in nos.)	Syrup (no. of bottles)	Tablets of All types in nos.
2014	246	-	1762	-	231.90	369.52	-	2525.50	82.66	-	9.75	-	67688.17	1061	1002	209486
2015	-	-	5591.24	-	-	512.70	-	-	461.15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016	4374	1.16	11303.78	896.09	505.48	374.85	56.37	-	2433.84	50	434.46	182.58	248840.77	26543	26309	4325329

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Seizure of major drugs for the period 2014 to 2016*

Qty in kgs

Year	ATS	COCAINE	EPHEDRINE/ PSEUDOEPHEDRINE	GANJA	HASHISH	HEROIN	KETAMINE	MEPHE DRONE	METHAQ UALONE	OPIUM	CBCS** (no. of bottles)	POPPY HUSK & POPPY STRAW	TABLETS Of All type In No.
2014	195.58	14.68	1,330.02	1,08,299.72	2,280.48	1,370.87	20.37	00	53.99	1,766.37	3,33,967	2,21,614.87	10209725
2015	166.29	113.15	826.83	94403.03	3350.73	1416.01	211.61	1267.94	89.78	1686.74	390818	134446.30	5070449
2016	1682.61	22.73	44984.11	1,82,622.85	2,489.64	1600.05	66.06	173.31	24,106.53	2,016.19	129982.96	552107	7505651

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**Codeine base cough syrup