GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHAP STARRED QUESTION NO. *43

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 19THDECEMBER, 2017 /AGRAHAYANA 28, 1939 (SAKA)

TERRORIST ACTIVITIES

*43. SHRI PARVESH SAHIB SINGH:
SHRI MANSUKHBHAI DHANJIBHAI VASAVA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of attacks by terrorist/ militant organisations, persons including civilians and security personnel injured and killed, terrorists killed and arrested along with action against the arrested persons during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (b) whether the attacks on defence establishments have increased during the recent times, if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (c) whether there is any plan to construct a memorial in honour of the security personnel who were killed and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) the measures taken to increase the strength of security forces and equip them with modern weaponry to deal with terrorist attacks/extremism; and
- (e) the other measures being taken by the Government to curb terrorist activities and strengthen the internal security of the country?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (e): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

<u>Statement in reply to lok sabha starred question no. *43 for 19th december, 2017 regarding terrorist activities</u>

- (a): The details of the number of attacks, including number of civilians/security personnel injured and killed, terrorists arrested and killed in the country due to the terrorist/insurgent/extremist incidents, during the last three years and the current year are at Annexure-I. The Law Enforcement Agencies have taken action against the arrested terrorists/militants as per law.
- (b): The details of the number of attacks on defence establishments in the country during the last three years and the current year are at Annexure-II. The Government has taken various steps to check attacks on defence establishments in the country, which, inter alia, include short term and long term security measures, periodic audit of security of all military establishments and measures taken to improve the same, sensitization of all ranks of defence establishments and the response mechanism in the event of any terror attack has been reviewed, coordinated and streamlined.
- (c): A National Police Memorial is being constructed at New Delhi in the honour of security personnel who have sacrificed their lives in the line of duty. All the major construction works, such as Wall of Valor, Flag Wall, Parade Area, Sitting Area, Landscaping Work, Horticulture Work, External Development Work, Utility

areas and the basement to accommodate the Museum have been completed.

The works pertaining to the Museum and Central Sculpture of the memorial are in progress.

- (d): Augmentation of Security Forces is done by the Government from time to time as per the administrative and operational requirement of the Forces. The Central Government is assisting the States to improve internal security through schemes like Modernization of State Police Forces (MPF) Scheme and Security Related Expenditure Scheme (SRE). Under MPF scheme, assistance is being provided under the components Mobility, Weaponry, Communication Systems, Training, Forensic Science Laboratory etc. All the forces have at one time or the other drawn resources from these Central Schemes. At present, with higher devolution of finances to the States consequent to the recommendations of the 14th Finance Commission, the States are well placed to draw from their own resources for upgradation of anti-terror forces. The Central Government also supplements the efforts of State Governments by deploying the National Security Guards (NSG), whenever required, who are specially trained in antiterror operations.
- (e): Concerted efforts are being made by the Central and the State Governments to deal with the insurgency / terrorism / extremism in the country.

 The Central Government is supplementing the efforts of the State Governments

to deal with terrorist/insurgent/extremist groups in a coordinated manner, which, inter alia, include sharing of intelligence, financial assistance for strengthening of the State Police Forces and Intelligence Agencies under the Police Modernization Scheme, reimbursement of Security Related Expenditure, sanction of India Reserve Battalions, deployment of Central Armed Police Forces for carrying out intensive joint counter insurgency operations, providing security for vulnerable installations and infrastructural projects based on threat assessment, declaring unlawful associations and terrorist organizations under the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967 (UAPA), declaring specific areas as 'disturbed areas' under Armed Forces (Special Powers) Act, 1958 and issuing notification for Unified Command Structure, etc.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) of Lok Sabha Starred Question No. 43 for 19.12.2017

(1) Hinterland of the country

Year	No. of terror incidents	Number of civilian killed	Number of security personnel killed	Number of persons injured	Number of terrorists killed	Number of terrorists arrested
2014	03	04	Nil	19	Nil	Nil
2015	01	03	04	17	03	Nil
2016	01	01	07	38	04	Nil
2017	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

(2) Jammu & Kashmir

Year	No. of terror incidents	Number of civilian killed	Number of security personnel killed	Number of persons injured	Number of terrorists killed	Number of terrorists arrested
2014	222	28	47	154	110	70
2015	208	17	39	173	108	67
2016	322	15	82	285	150	79
2017 (up to 14 th Dec)	337	40	75	321	203	91

(3) North Eastern Region

Year	No. of insurgent incidents	Number of civilian killed	Number of security personnel killed	Number of extremist killed	Number of extremist arrested
2014	824	212	20	181	1934
2015	574	46	46	149	1900
2016	484	48	17	87	1202
2017 (up to 30 th Nov)	276	34	12	51	929

(4) Left Wing Extremism (LWE)

Year	No. of incidents related to LWE	Number of civilian killed	Number of security personnel killed	Number of persons injured	Number of LWE killed	Number of LWE arrested
2014	1091	222	88	183	63	1696
2015	1089	171	59	159	89	1668
2016	1048	213	65	145	222	1840
2017 (up to 30 th Nov)	813	170	75	145	111	1712

Annexure-II

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) of Lok Sabha Starred Question No. *43 for 19.12.2017

Year	No. of attacks on defence establishments
2014	02
2015	02
2016	06
2017 (up to 10 th Dec)	01