GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *141

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 06TH MARCH, 2018 /PHALGUNA 15, 1939 (SAKA)

CENTRAL ARMED POLICE FORCES

*141. SHRI D.K. SURESH:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of Central Armed Police Forces (CAPF) established in the country;
- (b) whether the Government has taken all necessary steps to fulfil the requirements of CAPF in the country;
- (c) if so, the steps taken to modernize the said forces with state-of-the-art weapons and other services to ensure smooth functioning and discharging of duties at the ground level; and
- (d) the total amount allocated and utilized for CAPF during each of the last three years and the current year, force-wise?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): A statement is laid on the table of the house.

Statement referred to reply for part (a) to (d) of the Lok Sabha Starred Question No. *141 by SH. D. K. SURESH, Hon'ble MP to be answered on 06.03.2018 regarding Central Armed Police Forces.

- (a): There are five Central Armed Police Forces (CAPFs), namely, Border Security Force (BSF), Central Industrial Security Force (CISF), Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF), Indo-Tibetan Border Police (ITBP) and Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB), established in the country.
- (b) Yes, Madam. The requirement of CAPFs keep evolving over time. The steps taken to fulfill the requirement of CAPFs are as under:-

i) Housing

Against the authorization of 2,70,560 houses, 1,00,545 houses are available to the CAPF personnel. The housing satisfaction level is therefore 37.16%. In the last three years, 9896 houses have been constructed. At present, 26,775 houses are under construction and 14,858 are under process of sanction/tendering. On completion of all housing units, satisfaction level will be 52.55% against authorization.

ii) HRA for CAPF personnel staying in barracks:-

Government has approved grant of HRA to Personnel Below Officer Rank (PBORs) of CAPFs, staying in barracks.

iii) In addition to CGHS medical facilities available to Central Government employees, there are 39 composite hospitals for providing specialty services to the CAPF personnel and their family members. CAPFs personnel and their

families can also take treatment from recognized private hospitals, if such specialized services are not available in CAPFs hospitals.

- iv) The Government has accepted the recommendations of 7th Central Pay Commission for common Risk & Hardship Matrix for Defence and CAPF personnel.
- V) Central Police Canteens and Welfare & Rehabilitations Board have been functioning at various locations in the country for welfare and rehabilitations of CAPFs personnel and their families. At present, there are 119 Master Canteens and 1613 Subsidiary Canteen in CAPFs.
- (c): Modernization of CAPFs is a continuous process. CAPFs have been provided adequate funds to acquire modern weapons; equipment such as surveillance equipment, training equipment, medical equipment & Information Technology equipment; Special vehicles such as Mine Protected Vehicles, Bullet Resistant vehicles, All Terrain Vehicles etc; Clothing such as Bullet Resistant Jacket, Bullet Resistant Helmet, Extreme Cold Clothing, Jungle Shoes etc under General budget heads. These funds are also utilized for maintaining existing inventory.

To further emphasize the modernization process, a Modernization Plan-II was approved by the Government to be implemented during 2012-17. To harness the maximum benefit of this plan, the same has been extended upto 28.02.2018. The details of fund allocated and utilized by CAPFs for acquisition

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of latest and state-of-the-art technology weapons and equipment which are operationally required by them during last three years and current year is placed at Annexure I.

(d): The detail of total amount allocated and utilized for CAPFs during each of the last three years and the current year, Force-wise is placed at Annexure II.

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Annexure-I

Total fund allocation and utilization for modernization of five CAPFs under Arms & Ammunition, Clothing & Tentage, Information Technology,
Machinery & Equipment and Motor Vehicle budget heads
(General + Mod Plan-II)

Rs. in crore

CAPF	2014-15		2015-16		2016-17		2017-18	
	RE	Expenditure	RE	Expenditure	RE	Expenditure	RE	Expenditure*
BSF	564.16	564.14	754.03	755.11	758.09	761.00	884.98	743.51
CISF	66.22	65.91	71.43	69.60	77.23	73.31	139.63	96.86
CRPF	604.89	578.34	605.94	594.80	696.59	702.00	852.08	703.76
ITBP	228.00	224.44	274.75	274.43	297.45	295.18	305.45	285.44
SSB	145.67	145.40	124.25	120.54	111.25	108.93	180.50	138.52
Total	1608.94	1578.23	1830.40	1814.48	1940.61	1940.42	2362.64	1968.09

^{*}as on 26.02.2018

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The detail of total amount allocated and utilized for CAPF during each of the last three years and the current year, force-wise

(Rs.in crore)

CAPFs	2014-15		2015-16		2016	-17	2017-18	
	Allocation (RE)	Utilisation	Allocation (RE)	Utilisation	Allocation (RE)	Utilisation	Allocation (RE)	Utilisation (upto 28.2.18)
BSF								
Revenue	11588.19	11539.62	12198.38	12152.36	14080.41	14113.39	15335.54	14901.78
Capital	1102.63	975.76	1543.56	1467.77	644.88	521.11	848.05	679.82
Total	12690.82	12515.38	13741.94	13620.13	14725.29	14634.50	16183.59	15581.60
CISF								
Revenue	4895.53	4935.75	5593.70	5579.45	6776.02	6772.72	7874.59	7358.20
Capital	116.75	101.78	221.20	201.03	221.16	129.25	281.54	141.25
Total	5012.28	5037.53	5814.90	5780.48	6997.18	6901.97	8156.13	7499.45
CRPF								
Revenue	12542.42	12520.75	13706.09	13723.66	16298.74	16155.66	17867.20	17411.23
Capital	848.40	788.21	514.40	462.81	515.17	507.30	888.27	824.69
Total	13390.82	13308.96	14220.49	14186.47	16813.91	16662.96	18755.47	18235.92
ITBP								
Revenue	3344.53	3341.82	3469.20	3491.12	4291.13	4379.59	4767.87	4616.21
Capital	355.33	345.01	366.43	368.73	437.45	403.35	558.87	477.93
Total	3699.86	3686.83	3835.63	3859.85	4728.58	4782.94	5326.74	5094.14
SSB								
Revenue	3095.67	3091.01	3263.08	3295.56	3984.31	3931.61	4414.26	4410.16
Capital	316.22	308.63	552.00	529.41	483.84	429.01	570.20	430.45
Total	3411.89	3399.64	3815.08	3824.97	4468.15	4360.62	4984.46	4840.61
G.Total	38205.67	37948.34	41428.04	41271.90	47733.11	47342.99	53406.39	51251.72