

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †1787**

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

ENCOUNTER BETWEEN TERRORIST AND SECURITY FORCES

†1787. SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR SINGH:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of incidents of clashes between para-military forces and terrorists in the country during the last one year and the current year;

(b) whether the security forces have killed terrorists in an encounter on 13th February, 2018 to foil the attempt of attack on the Central Reserve Police Force in Srinagar region;

(c) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Government to reward the officials for the exemplary action in the said encounter;

(d) whether the Government has reviewed such terrorist attacks and losses suffered by the security forces due to lapse on the part of security forces; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a): As per the available information, the number of clashes between Security Forces, including Central Para-Military Forces, and terrorists / extremists / insurgents in Jammu & Kashmir, Left Wing Extremism affected areas and North Eastern region of the country were 392 in 2017 and 57 in 2018 (upto 15.02.2018).

(b) & (c): On 12.02.2018, there was a terrorist attack on the Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF) camp at Karan Nagar in Srinagar, which was successfully thwarted by alert sentry on duty. Thereafter, during joint operation of CRPF and State Police, 02 terrorists were neutralised. One CRPF jawan was also martyred. Commendation Disc and certificates have been awarded to the CRPF officers and other ranks, who participated in the operation.

(d) & (e): Terrorist incidents are reviewed regularly and necessary steps are taken.
