GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †1108

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 24THJULY, 2018/ SHRAVANA 2, 1940 (SAKA)

INCIDENTS OF INFILTRATION

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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the incidents of infiltration from the neighbouring countries across the border have increased during the last three years;

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

(c) the action taken by the Government to check cross border infiltration in the country?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): The border-wise details of infiltration from the neighboring

countries are as under:-

SI No.	Border /Year	2015	2016	2017
1.	Indo-Myanmar Border	99	74	99
2.	Indo-Pakistan Border	62	25	21
3.	Indo-Bangladesh Border	2	3	Nil
4.	Indo-China Border	Nil	Nil	Nil
5.	Indo-Nepal Border	Nil	Nil	Nil
6.	Indo-Bhutan Border	Nil	Nil	Nil
	Total	163	102	120

(c): Following measures are being taken to check cross border infiltration.

(i) Appropriate deployment of Border Guarding Forces (BGFs).

(ii) Conduct of area domination patrols by BGFs, establishment of Mobile Vehicle Check Posts, laying of nakas, conducting operations based on specific intelligence, use of Surveillance Equipment etc.

(iii) Securing the border by physical barriers, reducing inter BOP distance, infrastructure development like border roads, flood lighting etc. for better mobility of BGFs resulting in increased surveillance.

(iv) Introduction of Force multipliers and Hi-Tech surveillance equipment to enhance the surveillance of border.

(v) Up-gradation of intelligence (Int) network and coordination with sister agencies.

(vi) Conduct of special operations along the border and in depth areas.

(vii) Regular vulnerability mapping of each border;

(viii) Conducting anti tunneling exercise on regular basis in vulnerable areas on Indo-Pak Border.

(ix) Deployment of Comprehensive Integrated Border Management System (CIBMS) to secure borders where physical fence is not feasible especially in riverine/ nullah terrain, etc.

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