

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. †*102**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 18th DECEMBER, 2018 / AGRAHAYANA 27, 1940
(SAKA)**

ATTACK ON SOLDIERS BY LOCALS

†*102. SHRI ARVIND SAWANT:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the locals attacked the soldiers of the country and tried to demoralise them during the Lok Sabha by-polls held in Jammu;

(b) if so, the total number of accused arrested in this regard along with the action taken against them;

(c) the steps/decisions taken by the Government to check such attacks on soldiers;

(d) whether the soldiers have been given or are likely to be given relaxation in rules in future to empower them for self-defence so that they could protect themselves; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

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.

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO THE LOK SABHA STARRED
QUESTION NO. *102 FOR 18.12.2018 REGARDING ATTACK ON
SOLDIERS BY LOCALS**

(a): No by-election for Jammu Lok Sabha constituency has been held in the recent past.

(b) to (e): Do not arise.
