

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †1201**

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

HACKING OF NSG WEBSITE

†1201. SHRI HARISH CHANDRA ALIAS HARISH DWIVEDI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of employees in the National Security Guard (NSG) at present;**
- (b) whether some time ago, some hackers had hacked the website of the NSG and posted objectionable comments against India on the website; and**
- (c) If so, the action taken by the Government in this regard?**

ANSWER

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

- (a): The present posted strength of NSG is 10217.**
- (b): On 01.01.2017, NSG website was partially defaced and abusive message was posted by unknown hackers.**
- (c): The website was immediately blocked. Security audit was conducted by NIC and new GIGW (Guidelines for India Govt. Website) compliant and SSL (Secure Socket layer) based NSG website has been developed and hosted on NIC secure cloud with enhanced cyber security measures.**
