

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE  
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE  
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3546  
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 2<sup>ND</sup> JANUARY, 2019

**HONEY TRAPS**

3546. SHRIMATI RANJANBEN BHATT:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- whether the cases of honey traps being used for spying have risen in the armed forces;
- if so, whether the Government proposes to take any preventive measures in this regard;
- if so, the details thereof along with the time by which such steps are likely to be implemented; and
- if not, the reasons therefor?

**A N S W E R**

MINISTER OF STATE  
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

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रक्षा राज्य मंत्री

(डा. सुभाष भामरे)

**(a) The details of cases of honey trapping in the Armed Forces during the last three years are as under:-**

Year	Army	Navy	Air Force
2015	02	Nil	01
2016	Nil	Nil	Nil
2017	02	Nil	Nil

**(b) to (d):** Service personnel and their families are regularly sensitized on the use of honey trap as a modus operandi by foreign intelligence operatives. Advisories have been issued to all concerned. Special attention is being paid to new entrants in training institutes. Simultaneously, regular counter intelligence in liaison with central agencies is being maintained to detect attempts of honey trapping.

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