

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2572**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 09th JULY, 2019/ ASHADHA 18, 1941 (SAKA)

SAFETY FOR PEOPLE OF NER IN DELHI

2572. SHRI JAYANT SINHA

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that large number of people hailing from the North Eastern Region (NER) are living in Delhi and facing safety concerns;**
- (b) the steps taken by the Government to improve their safety and the security; and**
- (c) whether it is proposed to create a separate institutional arrangements in Delhi Police to address their grievances and if so, the details thereof?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)**

(a) to (c): Delhi Police has reported that a Special Unit for the people of North East Region (SPUNER) was set up in Delhi Police on 14.02.2014 for addressing problems faced by people hailing from North-Eastern Region and living in Delhi. In addition, Delhi Police has instituted a number of measures for safety and security of people hailing from North-Eastern Region, of which major ones include, 'Zero Tolerance Policy' for tackling problems, introduction of special Helpline No. 1093, regular interaction/ liaison/ meetings with people from North-Eastern Region by Joint Commissioner of Police-cum-Nodal Officer for North East Region and also by District Deputy Commissioners of Police, sensitization of Police personnel, augmenting representation of people from North Eastern Region in Delhi Police and dedicated PCR vans with Police personnel also of North-East origin.