

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2629**

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

INSURGENCY IN NER

2629. SHRI VISHNU DATT SHARMA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the extent of insurgency in the North East region has increased during the last five years;

(b) if so, the details of insurgency incidents and deaths reported State and year-wise; and

(c) the strategy adopted to address insurgency and mainstream the NE population?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c) : The security situation in the North Eastern (NE) States has improved substantially during the last five years. In the year 2018, the number of insurgency related incidents in the region decreased by 66% (2013-732, 2018-252), civilian deaths by 79% (2013-107, 2018-23) and security forces casualties by 23% (2013-18, 2018-14). The state and year wise details of insurgency related incidents during the last five years (from 2014 onwards) and current year upto 31.5.2019 are as follows:

NORTH EAST INDIA				
Year	Incidents	Civilians killed	SFs killed	Extremists killed
2014	824	212	20	181
2015	574	46	46	149
2016	484	48	17	87
2017	308	37	12	57
2018	252	23	14	34
2019(upto 31.5.19)	104	16	04	02

STATE WISE				
ARUNACHAL PRADESH				
Year	Incidents	Civilians killed	SFs killed	Extremists killed
2014	33	02	-	09
2015	36	01	03	05
2016	50	-	02	07
2017	61	03	-	09
2018	37	01	02	12
2019(upto 31.5.19)	20	11	02	-
ASSAM				
Year	Incidents	Civilians killed	SFs killed	Extremists killed
2014	246	168	04	102
2015	81	09	-	49
2016	75	29	04	51
2017	33	06	03	16
2018	28	07	01	05
2019(upto 31.5.19)	12	-	-	-
MANIPUR				
Year	Incidents	Civilians killed	SFs killed	Extremists killed
2014	278	16	08	23
2015	229	15	24	41
2016	233	11	11	09
2017	167	23	08	22
2018	127	08	07	10
2019(upto 31.5.19)	50	04	-	02
MEGHALAYA				
Year	Incidents	Civilians killed	SFs killed	Extremists killed
2014	179	24	06	35
2015	123	12	07	25
2016	68	08	-	15
2017	28	02	-	06
2018	15	04	01	03
2019(upto 31.5.19)	02	01	-	-

MIZORAM				
Year	Incidents	Civilians killed	SFs killed	Extremists killed
2014	03	-	-	-
2015	02	-	03	-
2016	-	-	-	-
2017	-	-	-	-
2018	03	-	-	-
2019(upto 31.5.19)	-	-	-	-
NAGALAND				
Year	Incidents	Civilians killed	SFs killed	Extremists killed
2014	77	01	-	12
2015	102	09	09	29
2016	58	-	-	05
2017	19	03	01	04
2018	42	03	03	04
2019(upto 31.5.19)	20	-	02	-
TRIPURA				
Year	Incidents	Civilians killed	SFs killed	Extremists killed
2014	08	01	02	-
2015	01	-	-	-
2016	-	-	-	-
2017	-	-	-	-
2018	-	-	-	-
2019(upto 31.5.19)	-	-	-	-

The Central Government is following a multi-pronged strategy to deal with the security situation in North Eastern States which comprises of security related measures and development/rehabilitation related initiatives. Central Government is following a policy of talks with those groups who abjure the path of violence and seek resolution of their demands peacefully within the framework of the Constitution of India. Government has appointed representatives/ Interlocutors to hold talks with such groups. Central Government is supplementing the efforts of the State Governments through

various measures such as deployment of Central Armed Police Forces, financial assistance for strengthening of the State Police Forces and intelligence agencies, raising of India Reserve Battalions and rehabilitation of surrendered militants, reimbursement of security related expenditure to State Governments, banning insurgent groups as 'unlawful association' and 'terrorist organization' under Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act 1967, declaring specific areas/states as 'disturbed areas' for the purpose of Armed Forces (Special Powers) Act 1958 and issuing notifications for unified command structure.
