GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2230

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 20^{TH} DECEMBER, 2022/AGRAHAYANA 29, 1944 (SAKA)

TERROR NEXUS

2230. KUNWAR DANISH ALI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware of the increase in number of cases of nexus between terrorists, drug smugglers and traffickers based in India and abroad;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps being taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI NITYANAND RAI)

(a) & (b) The National Investigation Agency (NIA) is investigating 11 cases in which nexus between terrorists, drug smugglers and traffickers based in India and abroad have been found. The year-wise details of these cases are as under:

Year	Number of Cases
2019	02
2020	04
2021	04
2022	01
Total	11

(c) A total of 112 accused have been arrested in these 11 cases and charge sheets have been filed against 115 accused persons in 10 cases.
