GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1430

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 12^{TH} DECEMBER, 2023/ AGRAHAYANA 21, 1945 (SAKA)

CROSS BORDER TERRORISM

1430. SHRI THIRUNAVUKKARASAR SU:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware of the repeated incidents of cross border terrorism, shelling and intrusions across the international borders in recent months;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the number of such incidents reported and the number of personnel/civilians killed/injured during the last three years, year-wise at various borders;
- (c) whether the Government has taken any concrete steps to prevent the recurrence of such incidents;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI NISITH PRAMANIK)

(a) to (e): India's Vigilant Border Guarding Forces effectively prevent efforts by intruders to exploit the vulnerable patches as India's land borders are characterized by deserts, mountains, forests and riverine terrains.

The number of incidents of intrusion, persons killed/injured, border-wise, reported during the last three years is given below:-

S.	Name of Border	No.	of	No. of	No. of
No.		incidents	of	persons	persons
		intrusion		killed	injured
1.	India-Pakistan	124		39	17
	Border				
2.	India-Bangladesh	2654		13	NIL
	Border				
3.	India-China Border	NIL		NIL	NIL
4.	India-Myanmar	NIL		11	17
	Border				
5.	India-Nepal Border	34 (*)		NIL	NIL
6.	India-Bhutan Border	NIL		NIL	NIL

^(*) cases of Third Country Nationals apprehended by SSB

Government of India has adopted multi-pronged strategies to prevent cross-border intrusion, and secure our territories, which inter-alia include deployment of Border Guarding Forces along the International Borders, effective domination of the borders by patrolling, laying Nakas, manning observation posts along the borders, vulnerability mapping of

Border Out Posts (BOPs), deployment of surveillance equipment, strengthening of intelligence network, erection of border fencing & floodlighting and deployment of technological solutions in non-feasible areas like riverine gaps, etc.
