GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2607

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 14TH DECEMBER, 2021/ AGRAHAYANA 23, 1943 (SAKA)
BORDERS DISPUTES AMONG STATES

†2607. SHRI KUNWAR PUSHPENDRA SINGH CHANDEL: SHRIMATI MALA RAJYA LAXMI SHAH:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of all the borders and assets related disputes among the States, State-wise;
- (b) whether cases of conflict between States in this regard have also been reported;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the steps being taken by the Government to solve such disputes?

ANSWER

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

(a): As per available information, there are boundary disputes arising out of demarcation of boundaries and claims and counter claims over territories between Andhra Pradesh-Odisha, Haryana-Himachal Pradesh, UT of Ladakh-Himachal Pradesh, Maharashtra-Karnataka, Assam-Arunachal Pradesh, Assam-Nagaland, Assam-Meghalaya, Assam-Mizoram. Some matters related to division of assets are pending between Andhra Pradesh-Telangana and Bihar-Jharkhand.

(b) & (c): Occasional protests and incidents of violence are reported from some of the disputed border areas.

(d): The approach of the Central Government has consistently been that interstate disputes can be resolved only with the cooperation of the State Governments concerned and that the Central Government acts only as a facilitator for amicable settlement of the dispute in the spirit of mutual understanding.
