

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1837

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 8TH MARCH, 2016/PHALGUNA 18, 1937 (SAKA)

DRUG SMUGGLING AT BORDER

1837. SHRI S.R. VIJAYAKUMAR:
SHRI NINONG ERING:
SHRI YOGI ADITYA NATH:
SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR:
SHRI VENKATESH BABU T.G.:
SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY:
SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has identified the border areas that are most vulnerable to smuggling of drugs, arms, cattle, beef and fake currencies etc.;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the number of such cases reported, smugglers arrested/killed and quantum of smuggled items seized during each of the last three years, item, border and State-wise;

(c) whether there are reports of nexus between BSF, State police and smugglers/ drug mafia as well as between terrorists and smugglers/drug mafia;

(d) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto; and

(e) the measures taken to curb such incidents including creation of border infrastructure along the borders of the country?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI KIREN RIJJU)

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(a) & (b): Yes Madam. The details of the number of such cases reported, smugglers arrested/killed and quantum of smuggled items seized during each of the last three years, item, border and State - wise are given at Annexure.

(c) & (d): There have been no reports of nexus between BSF and terrorists. In recent past, two cases of connivance of BSF personnel with smugglers have been reported on Indo-Pakistan Border. These two BSF personnel are in Punjab Police custody.

(e): The following measures have been taken including creation of border infrastructure along the borders of the country, to curb such incidents:

- (i) Erection of Border fencing, floodlighting along the International Border (IB).
- (ii) Effective domination of the borders by the Border Guarding Forces by carrying out round the clock surveillance of the border viz. patrolling, laying nakas, establishing of observation posts all along the IB and strengthening of existing defences of the BOPs.

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- (iii) Vulnerability mapping of BOPs from the point of view of cross border crimes and being strengthened by deploying additional manpower, special surveillance equipments, vehicles and other infrastructure support.
- (iv) Use of water crafts/boats and floating BOPs for domination of riverine area of IB.

Annexure referred in reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question no. 1837 for answer on 08.03.2016

Indo-Bangladesh Border

State	Items	2013				2014				2015			
		No. of cases	Smugglers		Qty	No. of cases	Smugglers		Qty	No. of cases	Smugglers		Qty
			Apprehended / Arrested	killed			Apprehended / Arrested	killed			Apprehended / Arrested	killed	
West Bengal	FICN (inRs.)	33	27	00	8673800	49	47	00	18493000	41	22	00	2722300
	Drugs(in kgs)	156	20	00	3439.935	210	15	00	1528.246	257	19	00	2052.545
	Cattle (in Nos)	13836	415	08	116949	11931	369	04	105365	14463	523	12	118819
	Arms (in Nos)	21	08	00	30	23	11	00	37	24	13	00	48
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
Assam	FICN (inRs.)	04	05	00	550500	06	08	00	597000	01	02	00	198500
	Drugs(in kgs)	09	03	00	18.455	07	01	00	19.013	04	00	00	15.800
	Cattle (in Nos)	637	04	02	3377	427	12	02	2856	2394	51	05	31193
	Arms (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	01	00	00	01	02	01	00	02
	Beef	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
Tripura	FICN (inRs.)	05	04	00	100000	0	0	00	0	01	00	00	70000
	Drugs(in kgs)	278	13	00	4413.928	316	06	00	13633.5	254	01	00	14403.628
	Cattle (in Nos)	350	02	00	993	435	04	00	1327	442	15	00	1441
	Arms (in Nos)	04	08	00	06	04	07	00	06	07	00	00	13
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
Mizoram	FICN (inRs.)	00	00	00	00	04	03	00	313500	02	05	00	1066500
	Drugs(in kgs)	02	02	00	0.631	08	10	00	48.801	07	03	00	15.922
	Cattle (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Arms (in Nos)	02	03	00	02	07	09	00	13	02	02	00	02
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
Meghalaya	FICN (inRs.)	13	13	00	250500	05	04	00	48500	01	01	00	12500
	Drugs(in kgs)	33	01	00	177.9	11	01	00	104.219	06	01	00	20.300
	Cattle (in Nos)	103	00	00	681	72	01	00	451	238	16	00	2149
	Arms (in Nos)	05	06	00	08	03	27	00	03	07	11	00	07
	Beef	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00

Indo-Pakistan Border

State	Items	2013				2014				2015			
		No. of cases	Smugglers		Qty	No. of cases	Smugglers		Qty	No. of cases	Smugglers		Qty
			Apprehended / Arrested	killed			Apprehended / Arrested	killed			Apprehended / Arrested	killed	
J&K	FICN (inRs.)	01	0	0	496000	02	0	0	599000	0	0	0	0
	Drugs(in kgs)	02	0	0	4.076	03	0	0	6.81	0	0	0	0
	Cattle (in Nos)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Arms (in Nos)	04	02	0	08	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Beef (in kgs)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gujarat	FICN (inRs.)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Drugs(in kgs)	0	0	0	0	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Cattle (in Nos)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	01	01	0	01
	Arms (in Nos)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Beef (in kgs)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rajasthan	FICN (inRs.)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Drugs(in kgs)	0	0	0	0	03	02	0	31.9	05	05	0	30.250
	Cattle (in Nos)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Arms (in Nos)	0	0	0	0	02	02	0	05	01	0	0	01
	Beef (in kgs)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Punjab	FICN (inRs.)	07	02	0	5204500	03	01	0	1193000	03	0	0	656500
	Drugs(in kgs)	36	06	0	327.509	50	09	01	396.244	47	06	01	378.963
	Cattle (in Nos)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	01	01	0	01
	Arms (in Nos)	10	08	07	24	18	12	08	20	12	01	02	16
	Beef (in kgs)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Indo-China Border

State	Items	2013				2014				2015			
		No. of Cases	Smugglers		Qty	No. of Cases	Smugglers		Qty	No. of Cases	Smugglers		Qty
			Apprehended / Arrested	killed			Apprehended / Arrested	killed			Apprehended / Arrested	Killed	
Jammu & Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Sikkim and Arunachal Pradesh	FICN (in Rs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Drugs (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Cattle (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Arms (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00

Indo-Nepal Border

State	Items	2013				2014				2015			
		No. of Cases	Smugglers		Quantity	No. of Cases	Smugglers		Quantity	No. of Cases	Smugglers		Quantity
			Apprehended / Arrested	killed			Apprehended / Arrested	Killed			Apprehended / Arrested	killed	
Bihar	FICN (in Rs)	9	12	00	1262100	9	9	00	509500	5	6	00	1174500
	Drugs (in kgs)	151	66	00	4203.62	75	66	00	658.35	71	68	00	1142.075
	Cattle (in Nos)	103	80	00	1519	305	103	00	3152	651	254	00	5092
	Arms (in Nos)	14	36	00	47	18	18	00	22	25	29	00	44
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	02	02	00	29
Uttar Pradesh	FICN (in Rs)	2	1	00	6500	4	3	00	74200	3	4	00	54000
	Drugs (in kgs)	61	71	00	4074.95	99	132	00	483.95	65	72	00	234.968
	Cattle (in Nos)	34	36	00	607	47	23	00	643	98	87	00	778
	Arms (in Nos)	18	12	00	38	19	19	00	22	23	31	00	29
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00

State	Items	2013				2014				2015			
		No. of Cases	Smugglers		Quantity	No. of Cases	Smugglers		Quantity	No. of Cases	Smugglers		Quantity
			Appreh ended / Arrested	killed			Appreh ended / Arrested	killed			Appreh ended / Arrested	killed	
Uttarakhand	FICN (in Rs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Drugs (in kgs)	03	03	00	14.97	06	07	00	21.50	4	04	00	21.230
	Cattle (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	27	10	00	131	65	01	00	376
	Arms (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
West Bengal	FICN (in Rs)	01	2	00	105000	00	00	00	00	01	01	00	88000
	Drugs (in kgs)	02	03	00	05	04	03	00	26.5	01	03	00	10.0
	Cattle (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	22	09	00	295	167	61	00	3236
	Arms (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	01	01	00	01	02	02	00	03
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
Sikkim	FICN (in Rs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Drugs (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Cattle (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Arms (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00

Indo-Bhutan Border

State	Items	2013				2014				2015			
		No. of Case s	Smugglers		Quantity	No. of Cases	Smugglers		Quantity	No. of Cases	Smugglers		Quantity
			Appreh ended / Arrested	killed			Appreh ended / Arrested	killed			Appreh ended / Arrested	killed	
Sikkim	FICN (in Rs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Drugs (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Cattle (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Arms (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
West Bengal	FICN (in Rs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	02	03	00	22100
	Drugs (in kgs)	01	00	00	1.15	08	07	00	571.14	07	05	00	286.470
	Cattle (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	02	00	00	11	14	19	00	122
	Arms (in Nos)	03	00	00	03	02	01	00	02	04	02	00	06
	Beef (in kgs)	01	00	00	180	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
Assam	FICN (in Rs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	03	05	00	439355
	Drugs (in kgs)	07	00	00	487	10	11	00	1165.5	15	17	00	2186.70
	Cattle (in Nos)	03	05	00	37	08	51	00	118	11	12	00	118
	Arms (in Nos)	14	07	00	20	36	34	00	63	20	39	00	33
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
Arunachal Pradesh	FICN (in Rs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	01	01	00	500
	Drugs (in kgs)	01	00	00	160	00	00	00	00	14	03	00	5021
	Cattle (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Arms (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	02	00	00	04
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00

Indo-Myanmar Border

State	Items	2013				2014				2015			
		No. of Cases	Smugglers		Qty	No. of Cases	Smugglers		Qty	No. of Cases	Smugglers*		Qty
			Apprehended / Arrested	killed			Apprehended / Arrested	Killed			Apprehended / Arrested	killed	
Manipur	FICN (in Rs)	76	101	00	00	34	36	00	00	29	35	00	00
	Drugs (in kgs)	29	45	00	335.292	23	29	00	100.037	24	28	00	323.865
	Cattle (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	07
	Arms (in Nos)	02	03	00	70	03	05	00	36	03	05	00	26
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
Nagaland	FICN (in Rs)	20	34	00	166000	12	24	00	00	15	32	00	00
	Drugs (in kgs)	00	00	00	0.6	02	02	00	0.7	00	00	00	8.0
	Cattle (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Arms (in Nos)	05	08	00	74	03	03	00	75	04	05	00	18
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
Arunachal Pradesh	FICN (in Rs)	05	11	00	00	07	11	00	220	02	04	00	00
	Drugs (in kgs)	05	15	00	20.47	12	20	00	32.76	04	07	00	4.981
	Cattle (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	Arms (in Nos)	00	00	00	24	00	00	00	51	00	00	00	08
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
Mizoram	FICN (in Rs)	06	12	00	600000	13	15	00	00	16	24	00	236000
	Drugs (in kgs)	12	22	00	228.4	00	00	00	61.00	06	09	00	163.889
	cattle (in Nos)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00
	arms (in Nos)	16	17	00	82	01	01	00	23	01	01	00	26
	Beef (in kgs)	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00

*Cases and Smugglers apprehended include other smuggling activities also.