

**Pillars on Indo-Burma Border**

(c) if so, the details thereof?

6866. SHRI DWARKA NATH DAS: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of pillars along Indo-Burma border in Manipur;

(b) whether some of the pillars have been displaced from their original places; and

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M.M. JACOB): (a) Indo-Burma (Myanmar) border in Manipur sector is defined by 99 Boundary Pillar positions. 9 pillar positions in Kabaw Valley are yet to be finalised/constructed.

(b) and (c). A statement showing details of missing, damaged or uprooted pillars is attached.

**STATEMENT***Details of Missing, Uprooted and Damaged Pillars*

Missing Pillars (a)	Main pillars:	47, 59, 61, 66, 76, 78 & 116
	(b) Subsidiary pillars	3793), 48(1), 48(2), 48(3) 49(10), 49(2), 49(3), 59(10), & 59(2)
Uprooted Pillars:	Subsidiary pillars:	41(1), 42(2) & 45 (2).
Damaged Pillars:	(a) Main pillars:	36, 71, 79 & 83
	(b) Subsidiary pillars:	37(1) & 38(1).

**[Translation]****Guidelines for Hoisting of National Flag**

6867. SHRI KALKA DAS: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the guidelines issued to the State Governments by the Union Government on hoisting of the National Flag in Government Organisations on the occasions of Independence Day and Republic Day; and

(b) the steps taken to ensure strict compliance of those guidelines?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS SHRI M.M. JACOB): (a) and (b). The guidelines issued to all State Governments/ U.T. Administrations for celebration of the independence Day include ceremonial unfurling/hoisting of the National Flag at State, District, Sub-Divisional/Block and Panchayat levels. A regards Republic Day, the pattern of celebration in the Capital is indicated and the State Governments/U.T. Administrations are requested to ensure that it is suitably celebrated throughout the country.