

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:590

ANSWERED ON:07.05.2002

TRAINING BY FBI

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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether twenty-eight officers belonging to the CBI, State Police and Central Police Organisations were trained by the FBI;
- (b) if so, whether the FBI plans to hold similar one-week programme for the Indian investigating agencies again;
- (c) if so, the facts thereof;
- (d) whether cooperation with the investigating agencies of various countries has increased more so with the FBI;
- (e) if so, whether the American and Indian investigators were increasingly sharing their expertise skills and intelligence to contain international crime;
- (f) if so, whether any concrete action plan has been worked out by the Union Government to help and assist the States for improving their investigation process; and (g) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a) to (g): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT IN REPLY TO STARRED QUESTION NO. 590 BY S/SHRI IQBAL AHMED SARADGI AND SHANKAR PR JAISWAL FOR 7.5.2002

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c): At present no training course by FBI is scheduled for Indian investigating agencies. However, they have offered to hold a course on `Crisis Management`, the dates of which are not yet decided.

(d) & (e): Yes, Sir, Apart from training courses that provide a platform for sharing of expertise, interactions are held with FBI on need basis.

(f) & (g): The Central Government has been giving financial assistance for modernization of State police forces which also includes funds for improving their training and investigation infrastructure. Besides, the State police personnel are provided training facilities in the Central institutions and also sent abroad to acquaint themselves with the modern methodologies and techniques of investigation. Their syllabi and training modules are also constantly reviewed/updated.