GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOME AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:300 ANSWERED ON:21.02.2006 FENCING ON INDO NEPAL BORDER Adsul Shri Anandrao Vithoba;Tripathy Shri Braja Kishore

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any proposal to fence Indo-Napal borders keeping in view of Maoists/Naxalite problems;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the other steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY)

- (a): No, Sir.
- (b): Does not arise in view of (a) above.
- (c): Government has deployed Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB) as a Border Guarding Force on this border. State Governments having border with Nepal have also been advised to strengthen policing infrastructure in the border districts.