

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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STRENGTHENING OF CISF
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether additional responsibilities and duties are proposed to be assigned to the Central Industrial Security Force (CISF);
- (b) if so, whether there is a need to strengthen the CISF to meet the new challenges; and
- (c) if so, the steps proposed to be taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS(SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

- (a): Besides protecting the PSUs, CISF has been assigned the duty of protecting Airports, Delhi Metro, Central Government buildings in Delhi, some important monuments, VIPs etc.
- (b) & (c): Augmentation of personnel training and modernization of the Force is an on-going process and the required posts and fund are sanctioned from time to time as per the requirement.