GOVERNMENT OF INDIA EXTERNAL AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:271 ANSWERED ON:18.02.2009 TERRORIST CAMPS IN POK Ahir Shri Hansraj Gangaram

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the existence of terrorist camps in Pakistan occupied Kashmir (PoK) has come to the notice of the Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken/proposed to be taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE)

(a) to (c) Yes. India has consistently emphasized to Pakistan the need to implement its solemn commitments of 06 January 2004 and 24 September 2008 that it would not permit any territory under Pakistan's control to be used to support terrorism in any manner.