

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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INSURGENT SHIFTING THEIR BASES
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Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the militant outfits responsible for carrying out terrorist activities in the country have set up their new bases in other countries;
- (b) if so, the names of such militant outfits alongwith the names of the countries in which they have set up their bases;
- (c) the date since when these bases are functioning; and
- (d) the names of the countries with which the Government has raised this issue?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI S.M. KRISHNA)

(a) to (d): Available inputs indicate that terrorist infrastructure continues to exist in Pakistan and Pak-occupied Kashmir. Further, there are also reports that some Indian Insurgent Groups (IIGs) operating in North Eastern States have set up their camps/ hideouts in Bangladesh and Myanmar. The Government of India's security concerns in this regard are conveyed regularly to all countries concerned.