

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2544
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DEPLOYMENT OF FORCES IN J K
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has issued any directions to withdraw/reduce the number of personnel of the Central Para Military Forces (CPF) deployed in Jammu and Kashmir;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government has received any recommendations from the officers of CPF in this regard;and
- (d) if so, the reasons therefor and the reaction of the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

- (a) & (b): The level of deployment and withdrawal of Forces in Jammu and Kashmir is dependent upon the assessment of the overall security situation in the state at any point in time. However, details of deployment/withdrawal are not disclosed in public interest.
- (c) & (d): There is no role of the CPMFs in making recommendations relating to deployment/withdrawal as it is a policy decision taken by the Government.