

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2593  
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DEATH DUE TO ELECTROCUTION  
Ram Shri Purnmasi

**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of persons killed in the National Territory of Delhi due to electrocution during rains in the current year;
- (b) whether the Government has fixed responsibility for the said deaths;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to provide compensation to the bereaved families;and
- (e) the measures taken to ensure non-repetition of such incidents?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) to (e): Delhi Police has reported that eight persons were killed in the National Territory of Delhi due to electrocution during rains in the current year. FIRs have been lodged in this regard and investigations have been initiated to, inter-alia, fix responsibility, grant of compensation and ensure non-repetition of such incidents.