GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ATOMIC ENERGY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3953 ANSWERED ON:18.08.2010 THREATS FROM TERRORIST OUTFITS Adityanath Shri Yogi

Will the Minister of ATOMIC ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has recently assessed the internal and external threat from terrorist outfits on our nuclear installations;

(b) if so, the outcome thereof; and

(c) the safeguards in place to meet these threats?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY AND EARTH SCIENCES (INDEPENDENT CHARGE), PMO, PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI PRITHVIRAJ CHAVAN):

(a) Continuous and periodic assessment of internal and external threats are made by Central & State Intelligence Agencies.

(b) Based on inputs received from Government of India/ Central Intelligence Agencies / State Intelligence Wing, security measures adopted in nuclear installations are reviewed and strengthened for effective security.

(c) Nuclear installations are under security cover of the Central Industrial Security Force with additional manpower and equipment, whenever necessary.