

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1953  
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BIFURCATION OF CRPF  
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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has any proposal to bifurcate the Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF) on the nature of functions assigned;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken to provide specialised training to security/police personnel; and
- (c) the total number of battalions under Rapid Action Force?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI GURUDAS KAMAT)

- (a) & (b): There is no such proposal to bifurcate the Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF) on the nature of functions assigned.
- (c): As on date there are 10 Rapid Action Force Battalions sanctioned in CRPF.