GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOME AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3079 ANSWERED ON:15.03.2011 PROPAGANDA BY EXTREMISTS De Dr. Ratna

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any plan to make people aware of the false propaganda by the extremist outfits including naxalites in various parts of the country including Kashmir valley; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): In order to make people aware of the false propaganda by Left Wing Extremists (LWE), posters are published and pasted through Central Para- military Forces in the LWE affected States namely, Andhra Pradesh, Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Orissa, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal. Besides this, three spots on Naxal Managements were also broadcasted over All India Radio from 15.8.2010 to 28.09.2010 in Hindi belt stations and 09.09.2010 to 23.10.2010 in AIR stations of Hyderabad, Cuttack, Nagpur and Kolkata in these LWE affected areas. During 2011-2012, there is a proposal to release advertisements in Newspapers in the LWE affected States.