

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

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TERRORIST ACTIVITIES IN PAKISTAN  
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**Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether terrorist activities emanating from Pakistan has increased in the country over the years;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to declare Pakistan as terrorist State and to motivate other countries also to do so;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (e) whether representations have been received from the social organisations/individuals in this regard; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI S.M. KRISHNA)

- (a) & (b) Notwithstanding assurances given at the highest level by Pakistan, we have been repeatedly and severely hit by terrorist attacks emanating from Pakistan. Pakistan assured India on 6th January 2004 and 24th September 2008 that it would not permit its territory to be used for terrorism against India in any manner. It is the responsibility of the Government of Pakistan to take all steps as are necessary to address this issue to prevent further outrages and to take action against conspirators responsible for such attacks.
- (c) & (d) Government has highlighted the issue of terrorism in different international and multilateral organisations.
- (e) & (f) Government receives many requests and representations from citizens and organizations regarding terrorism.