

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:412

ANSWERED ON:07.07.2009

REVIEW OF BORDER SECURITY

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

(a) whether the Government has reviewed the progress of use of high speed interceptor boats, fencing, road construction, floodlighting, construction of border outposts etc. along the international borders;

(b) if so, the outcome thereof; and

(c) the time frame fixed for the completion of these projects along with the financial implication therein?

**Answer**

(SHRI MULLAPPLLY RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) to (c): A statement is laid on the table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 412 FOR 7TH JULY, 2009

(a) to (c): Yes, The review has been made at different levels in the Government. Delivery of interceptor boats to coastal State UTs started in April, 2009. So far 14 boats have been delivered to the States UTs. Along Indo-Bangladesh border 1800.09 km of fencing and 718.64 km of roads have been completed under Phase II project. Further, replacement of 376 km of fencing has been completed under Phase III project. The installation of floodlighting works is also in progress. The construction work for additional Border Outposts along Indo-Bangladesh and Indo- Pakistan borders has been awarded. Construction work in 10 strategic roads along Indo-China border has started.

After assessment of various factors, the Annual Action Plan for border works has been prepared and targets has been fixed for 2009-10. Targets for supply of interceptor boats to 9 coastal States and 4 Union Territories, under Coastal Security Scheme has also been finalized.

The details of projects, area of operation, time frame for completion and financial implications for these projects are given below;

Sl.No	Project content	Project Operation Area	Time Frame for Completion	Financial Implication
(Rs. In crore)				
1.	Phase II Fence Project (Fencing & Road Works)	2579.22km Indo-Bangladesh border	2000-2010	4393.67
2.	Phase III Fence Project (Replacement of Fencing works)	861.72 km Indo-Bangladesh border	2006-1010	884.00
3.	Floodlighting works	2840.90 km Indo-Bangladesh border	2007-2012	1327.77

4. Construction 509 Nos. Indo-Bangladesh 2008-2014 1832.50  
of Border Out (IPB-126 and Indo Pakistan  
Posts IBB-383) borders

5. Construction Construction Along Indo-China - 2008-2013 1937.00  
of Border of 27 Link Border in the States  
Roads roads of of Jammu & Kashmir,  
operational Himachal Pradesh,  
significance to Uttrakhand, Sikkim  
ITBP, totaling and Arunachal Pradesh  
804 km.

6. Supply of Under the 9 Coastal States 2005-2010 400.00  
Interceptor present Coastal and 4 Union  
Boats (Under Security Scheme, Territories  
Coastal 73 coastal  
Security police stations,  
Scheme) 97 check-posts,  
58 out-posts  
and 30 barracks  
have been  
approved along  
with 204  
interceptor  
boats, 153 jeeps  
and 312 motorcycles.