

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2187
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NAXAL AFFECTED DISTRICTS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of naxal affected districts in Bihar;
- (b) whether the State Government has submitted a proposal for listing of fifteen new districts as naxal affected;
- (c) if so, whether the Union Government has accepted the said proposal;
- (d) if so, the names of the said districts; and
- (e) whether the said districts are covered under the Security Related Expenditure (SRE) scheme and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI JITENDRA SINGH)

(a) to (e): On the basis of violence profile, presently, 83 Left Wing Extremism affected districts in 9 States of the country including 15 districts of Bihar viz. Arwal, Aurangabad, Bhojpur, East Champaran, Gaya, Jamui, Jehanabad, Kaimur, Munger, Nalanda, Nawada, Patna, Rohtas, Sitamarhi and West Champaran are covered under the Security Related Expenditure (SRE) Scheme for the purpose of reimbursement of expenditure incurred by the State Governments on Anti-naxal operations.

The Government has received a proposal from the State Government to include additional 07 (seven) districts of Bihar, namely, Vaishali, Begusarai, Lakhisarai, Sheohar, Banka, Muzaffarpur and Khagaria under the SRE Scheme.

Inclusion/ exclusion of districts under the SRE Scheme is a continuous process.