## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOME AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

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VIOLATION OF CEASEFIRE
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## Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there are reports of ceasefire violation along the Indo-Pak border by the Security Forces of Pakistan;
- (b) if so, the number of Indian security personnel killed therein;
- (c) the number of times ceasefire had been violated by Pakistan during the last three years and the current year; and
- (d) the reaction of the Government thereto?

## **Answer**

## MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) to (c): Border Security Force(BSF) is the border guarding force along Indo-Pakistan border. However, on Line of Control (LoC), BSF is deployed under the Army Operations control in Jammu & Kashmir State.

Details of ceasefire violation along the LoC Sector in Jammu & Kashmir and security personnel killed in the last three years and the current year are as under:

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Year Total Ceasefire Security personnel
Violations killed

2009 28 4
2010 44 3
2011 51 0
2012 31 2
(Till date)
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The number of firing incidences reported and BSF personnel killed along International Border with Pakistan in the last three years and the current year in Jammu & Kashmir State, are as under:-

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Year Firing BSF personnel incidences killed

2009 7 1
2010 26 2
2011 11 2
2012 5 1
(Till July)
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(d): All incidents of ceasefire violations are investigated and protests are lodged with Pakistan authorities at appropriate level through the established mechanism of hotlines, flag meetings and meetings between the Directors General of Military Operations (DGMO) and Directors General of Border Guarding Forces of the two countries.