

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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TERRORIST ACTIVITIES IN KERALA
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether cases of terrorism are on the rise in Kerala in the recent years;
- (b) if so, the total number of cases registered during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (c) the total number of accused arrested and the action taken against them during the said period; and
- (d) the measures taken by the Government in co-ordination with the State Government of Kerala to curb terrorist activities in the State?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI KIREN RIJU)

(a) to (d): The Government have no intelligence inputs to indicate that cases of terrorism are on the rise in Kerala in recent years. Further, no terror related case in Kerala has come to notice during the last three years and the current year. However, there exists a very close and effective coordination amongst intelligence agencies at the Centre and the State levels to monitor the activities of terrorist organizations and unlawful associations. Intelligence inputs about possible designs and threats are shared with the State Governments concerned on a regular basis. The Multi Agency Centre (MAC) has been strengthened and re-organized to enable it to function on 24x7 basis for near real time collation and sharing of intelligence with other intelligence agencies and security intelligence inputs are shared with the concerned States through the established mechanism, which ensures close coordination and sharing of intelligence and seamless flow of information between the States and the Central Security and Law Enforcement Agency.