

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

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TERROR LINKS TO NEIGHBOURING COUNTRIES  
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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government is aware that terror links are connected with the neighbouring countries and their Governments give patronage to them;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether centres of anti-India activities have been established in the neighbouring countries which also have become sources of illegal weapons and smuggling of fake currency into the country;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto; and
- (e) the efforts made by the Government to repatriate the perpetrators of terrorist activities in the country including those involved in the Mumbai terror attacks?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI HARIBHAI PARATHIBHAI CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (d): India continues to remain the prime focus of Pak-based terrorist outfits, particularly Lashkare-e-Toiba (LeT) and their Indian Affiliates, most prominently the Indian Mujahideen. The interrogation of arrested terrorists by the security agencies has revealed that Inter Services Intelligence (ISI) of Pakistan is aiding terror activities in India by providing shelter, training, patronage and financial assistance to terrorists/terror outfits. Besides, Indo-Nepal border, being porous, has also been vulnerable to activities of anti-India elements. The militants based in Pakistan use Indo-Pak and Nepal borders to bring explosives and arms/ammunitions to indulge in anti-national activities. In addition, Indian insurgent groups from the North-East region of the country have established camps, shelters and training centres in Myanmar and Bangladesh.

(e): The Government has raised the issue of ISI's support to various terror outfits in many fora like Home/Interior Minister/Secretary level talks, Foreign Secretary level talks, etc. and handed over relevant material/dossiers to the Pakistan Authorities. At the same time, the Government takes all necessary measures to foil the nefarious activities of Pak-based/supported terror outfits in India. India has good relations with Nepal, Bangladesh and Myanmar and has developed working understanding to address the issues mentioned above, with the governments of these countries.