

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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Floating Check Posts at Borders
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has provided floating check-posts for BSF on riverine location at various borders of the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the expenditure involved in this project?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b): The Government has provided 09 numbers of floating border out posts (FBOPs) to Border Security Force (BSF). Out of these, 06 FBOPs have been deployed in Creek area of Gujarat and 03 FBOPs in Sunderbans area of West Bengal.
- (c) The total expenditure involved in this project was Rs. 124.38 crore.
