

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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Funds for Fencing

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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of funds provided for fencing along the borders of the country during each of the last three years and the current year, Border-wise;
- (b) whether the said funds is also being utilised for fencing of farmlands of farmers residing in the border areas; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a): The fencing has been sanctioned by the Government along the Indo-Bangladesh and Indo-Pakistan borders. Fencing has also been sanctioned in a small patch of about 10 km along the Indo-Myanmar border. The details of funds provided for fencing along the border of the country during each of the last three years and the current year, border-wise is as follows:-

(Rs. In crore)

Year Indo-Bangladesh Indo-Pakistan Indo-Myanmar

2012-13 89.13 48.74 4.00

2013-14 89.59 69.87 -

2014-15 209.05 92.00 -

2015-16

(upto Nov. 2015) 165.79 115.93 -

(b) & (c): There is no provision to use funds for fencing of farmlands of farmers residing in border areas.
