

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:391  
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TRAINING FOR DISASTER MANAGEMENT  
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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the manner in which personnel deployed in National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) are being trained;
- (b) whether there is an exclusive training centre for the said purpose;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) if not, whether there is any proposal to set up a dedicated training centre; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

(a): Personnel deployed in National disaster Response force (NDRF) are being trained in different trainings/courses through various institutes in the country. Basis Disaster Management training is being imparted in the NDRF battalions and the advance courses are being run at the institutes of Central Armed Police forces(CAPFs) i.e. Border Security Force Institute of Disaster Response (BIDR) at Tekanpur, National Industrial Security Academy (NISA) at Hyderabad, Central Training Collage (CTC-II) at Coimbatore and National Institute for Training in Search Rescue & Disaster Response (NTSRDR) at Chandigarh. Specialized training of NDRF personnel are being conducted in Bhaba Atomic research Centre, Indian navy, Himalayan Mountaineering Institute, Darjeeling etc.

(b)&(c): There is no such exclusive training centre for NDRF.

(d)&(e): A proposal of NDMA to establish an institute i.e. National disaster Response Academy (NDRA) at Nagpur for providing advanced & specialized training in disaster Management to National disaster response Force and State disaster Response force is under consideration in the Ministry.