GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOME AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:25 ANSWERED ON:08.07.2014 CROSS BORDER INFILTRATION Dubey Shri Nishikant

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether there are reports of infiltration along various borders of the country;

(b) If so, the number of cases reported, the number of infiltrators apprehended and killed during the last three years and the current year in border States; and

(c) the measures taken by the Government to check the incidences of infiltration along the borders of the country?

Answer

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

(a)to (c): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 25 FOR 08.07.2014

(a)& (b): The details of cases of infiltration reported, the number of infiltrators apprehended and killed during the last three years and the current year in border States, are placed at Annexure.

(c): The Government has adopted a multi-pronged approach for effective domination and to check trans-border crimes including infiltration along the international borders of the country. The steps taken in this regard inter-alia include:

Effective domination of the border by carrying out round the clock surveillance of the borders by patrolling nakas (border ambushes) and by deploying observation posts all along the international borders of the country. The riverine segments of international borders of the country are being patrolled and dominated with the help of water crafts/speed boats/ floating Border Out Posts (BOPs) of Border Security Force(BSF) water wings.

Construction of fence, patrol roads, floodlighting systems and additional Border Out Posts.

Introduction of force multipliers and Hi-Tech surveillance equipments. Continuous efforts are made to procure the latest surveillance equipments fully equipped with day and night vision devices for further enhancing the border domination.

Raising the issues of infiltration from across the border during various meetings with counter part countries i.e. Company Commander Meeting, Commandant Level Meeting, Sector Commander Level Meeting, Frontier Level Meeting and Director General Level Talks.

Vulnerability mapping of the Border Out Posts (BOPs) which are sensitive with regard to illegal migration/human trafficking along the borders have been carried out. These identified BOPs have been by deploying

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additional man power, Special Surveillance Equipment, vehicles and other infrastructure support.

Up-gradation of intelligence network and co-ordination with sister agencies, conduct of special operations along the border.

Two additional battalions have been deployed on the Jammu International Border for effective domination of the International Border.