

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2908
ANSWERED ON:12.12.2006
REPATRIATION OF BANGLADESHI SEX WORKERS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether the Ministry of Home Affairs has received any request from the Ministry of Women and Child Development to repatriate approximately 7,000 Bangladeshi sex workers living in women shelters ;
- (b) If so, the details thereof ;
- (c) Whether talks have been held with the Bangladesh for repatriation of these sex workers ;
- (d) If so, the details in this regard; and
- (e) The reaction of the Bangladesh thereon ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MANIKRAO H. GAVIT)

- (a) : No, Sir.
- (b) to (e) : Do not arise.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (A) TO (H) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2915 FOR REPLY ON 12TH DECEMBER 2006

- (a) : The number of terrorists surrendered in Jammu and Kashmir during the last three years is as under :

2004 - 137
2005 - 64
2006 - 175
(upto 30.11.2006)

Total 376

- (b): The details of arms surrendered by the surrendered terrorists during the last three years are as under :

Types of Arms 2004 2005 2006
(upto 30.11.2006)
AK Rifles - 60 35 78
Pistol 15 16 61
SLR 2 6
UBGL/ RPG 4 1 2/1
Hand grenades 86 34 133
Wireless sets 30 13 23
Phones 5 3
Pouch 12 9
Binoculars 1 3 2
Compasses 1
UBGL Grenades 26 18 23
Shells 23 3 18

Mag 218 95 228
Rds 5045 2071 6148
Sniper Rifles 1 2
Rockets - 5
Pika Guns - 1 2
Rocket Boosters 13
LMG 1
Detonator - 1 11
Mines 2

(c) to (h): There are no rehabilitation camps existing in Jammu and Kashmir under the New Rehabilitation Policy which is in force since 2004. The salient features of the Rehabilitation Policy are:

(i) Following categories of terrorists from amongst residents of Jammu and Kashmir who surrender would be rehabilitated under this scheme:

Known militants who surrender with weapons

Hardcore militants even without weapons

(ii) Incentives under the Policy:

Immediate grant of Rs.1.50 lac in fixed deposit for 3 years;

Rs.2000/- as monthly stipend for 3 years after surrender;

Incentives for different types of weapons

The results of the Rehabilitation Policy have been encouraging and out of 376 terrorists who surrendered during the last three years, only two have recycled into militancy.