

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1917
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PURULIA ARMS DROPPING CASE
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether CBI has issued look out notices against persons allegedly involved in Purulia arms dropping case ;
- (b) if so, the details thereof ;
- (c) whether the Government has enquired into the matter in the past; and
- (d) if so, the details of findings along with the reasons of air dropping of arms there ?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

(a)& (b) : The Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) has issued Look Out Notices against 14 persons.

(c)&(d) : The investigations have, inter-alia, disclosed that the arms dropping was a result of an international conspiracy to clandestinely procure arms and air-drop them in Purulia to be meant for some proutists of Anand Marg.