

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3759
ANSWERED ON:19.04.2005
STRENGTHENING OF BHUTAN BORDER
Singh Shri Chandra Bhushan

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to strengthen the borders with Bhutan;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government also proposes to deploy some more battalions in the border areas with Bhutan; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY)

(a) to (d): Yes Sir. Government have deployed Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB) as the Border Guarding Force on this border. Government propose to augment deployment of force in order to reinforce the strengthening of the border with Bhutan.