

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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DEPLOYMENT OF PARA MILITARY FORCES

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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to review the deployment of Central Reserve Police Force (CRPFs) and other Para Military Forces (PMFs) in Jammu and Kashmir;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether there is any proposal to reduce the strength of PMFs in the State; and

(d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

(a)&(b): The deployment of Central Reserve Police force (CRPFs)and other Para Military Forces (PMFs) in Jammu and Kashmir is constantly reviewed by the Central Government and the State Government in the light of the emerging ground situation in the State.

(c) & (d): Reduction in the strength of Para Military Forces in Jammu and Kashmir will be considered as and when warranted by improvement in the law and order situation in the State.