## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS RAJYA SABHA QUESTION NO 4537 ANSWERED ON 12.04.2017

## CRPF personnel killed in naxal affected areas

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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :-

- (a) the number of CRPF personnel killed in the naxal affected areas during the last two years;
- (b) the number of personnel who lost their lives due to depression, heart attack and malaria, etc. and how many were killed by the naxalites;
- (c) whether Government would take some steps to boost the morale of the personnel working in adverse conditions; and
- (d) if so, by when and the details thereof?

## **ANSWER**

## MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)

(a): The number of CRPF personnel martyred in LWE affected States during the last two years, State-wise details are as under: -

States Year 2015 2016 2017 (as on 04.04.2017) Bihar 02 11 00 Chhattisgarh 03 18 13 Jharkhand 00 02 00 Total 05 31 13

(b): Details of CRPF personnel who lost their lives due to depression, heart attack and malaria etc. is as under: -

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Year Heart attack Malaria / Dengue Depression / Suicide Others Total 2015 82 13 35 277 407 2016 92 05 26 353 476

(c) & (d): Yes, the Government has been taking several measures to ensure good morale of all CAPF personnel. Additional allowances/incentives to personnel deployed in anti-naxal operations in terms of Risk Allowance, HRA and extension of facility for retention of Government accommodation at the last place of posting is already in place. In addition, insurance and various advances/loans are given to ensure financial well-being. Basic amenities like proper accommodation, medical facilities, timely evacuation of injured, better promotional avenues,

gallantry awards, rewards/appreciations, grievance redressal etc are being addressed.

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