GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS RAJYA SABHA QUESTION NO 678 ANSWERED ON **08.02.2017**

Report of BPRD

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

(a) the details of facts that are presented in the recent report of Bureau of Police Research and Development (BPRD) with regard to police forces of India and the details of suggestions given in the report for improvement;

(b) whether it is a fact that it has been stated in the report that the police remain devoid of basic facilities that badly affects their working; and

(c) the details of steps taken during the last three years for making improvements in police services?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)

(a) & (b): The Bureau of Police Research and Development (BPR&D) periodically publishes report on 'Data on Police Organizations'. Recently, BPR&D has published 'Data on Police Organizations' on

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31.10.2016, which comprises data as on 01.01.2016. The report is available on the official website of BPR&D and the link is http://bprd.nic.in/content/62_1_DataonPoliceOrganizations.aspx

The report contains information related to police manpower, infrastructure available with the police in States, UTs and Central Armed Police Forces (CAPFs).

(c): "Police" is a "State subject" as per entry 2 of the list II of the VII Schedule to the Constitution of India. Therefore, it is the responsibility of the State Government/UTs administration to implement the various police reforms measures. However, the Government of India, through its various schemes, supplements the efforts of States/UTs for augmenting police services.
