

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.†1145**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 3rd DECEMBER, 2014/AGRAHAYANA 12, 1936 (SAKA)

CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS OF NORTH-EAST REGION

†1145. SHRI PRABHAT JHA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether many incidents of violent crimes against the persons of North-East Region in different cities of the country, have been reported recently;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether action is being taken against the guilty persons and whether victims of the crimes have been provided appropriate co-operation and help; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI HARIBHAI PARATHIBHAI CHAUDHARY)**

(a) to (d): According to available information, in the current year upto 31.10.2014, a total 131795 number of cases were registered in Delhi, out of which 232 cases (0.17% of the total cases) were registered by the citizens from North Eastern States of India. During the said period in Bengaluru, 2985 were registered out of which 7 cases (0.23% of the total cases) by the people from North East Region were lodged. In Gurgaon City, 13670 cases were registered upto 23rd Nov, 2014 out of which 7 (0.051% of the total cases) were lodged by the people from North Eastern States. All such cases are duly investigated by the Police of the concerned State Government. In many cases, accused have been arrested and produced before the court.

Advisories have been issued to all States and UTs on 14th May, 2012, 3rd June, 2013 and 5th Feb, 2014 directing them to have a stringent mechanism to deal with the incidents of attacks on citizens from North Eastern States. The State Governments and Union Territories are taking all necessary security measures to strictly follow the directions given in the advisories. The Delhi Police has set up Special Helpline No. 1093 w.e.f 14th February, 2014 to address to grievance of the citizens from North East living in Delhi. Bengaluru Police, Gurgaon Police and Mumbai Police have provided help line Nos. 09480801020, 0124-2301559 and 08976341108 respectively.

In order to deal with concerns of the people hailing from the North Eastern States living in different parts of the country, especially in the Metropolitan cities, a Committee was constituted on 5.2.2014 under the chairmanship of Shri M.P. Bezbaruah presently Member, North Eastern Council. The Committee submitted its report to the Ministry of Home Affairs in July, 2014. Follow up action has also been initiated to implement recommendations made by MP Bezbaruah Committee to address the concerns of the citizens of North Eastern States.
