

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1884
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 03rd AUGUST, 2016/ SRAVANA 12, 1938 SAKA)

PERSONS MISSING FROM NORTH KERALA SUSPECTED OF JOINING IS

1884. SHRI D. RAJA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the complaint about 16 Muslims including a doctor, his wife and child missing from North Kerala who are suspected to have travelled to the Middle East to join militant groups such as the Islamic State (IS);

(b) if so, whether any enquiry has been conducted to trace them and bring them back; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

(SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)

(a) : Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c) : Nine cases have been registered and are under investigation by the Kerala Police in connection with missing persons, who are suspected to have joined the militant groups such as Islamic State (IS).