

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1891

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 03<sup>rd</sup> AUGUST, 2016/ SRAVANA 12, 1938 SAKA)

SURGE IN TERROR RELATED ACTIVITIES IN J&K

1891. SHRI AMAR SINGH:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there has been a constant surge in terror related activities in Jammu and Kashmir during 2016 in comparison to previous years;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether it is also a fact that cancellation of diplomatic initiative with militants by the Central Government is one of the reasons for the rise of militancy in that State; and

(d) if so, what is Government's reaction in this regard thereto?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

(SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)

(a) & (b) The number of terrorist violence incidents in the State of Jammu and Kashmir during 2016 (upto July) in comparison to the corresponding period of previous 2 years is as under:-

	2014	2015	2016
No. of terrorist violence incidents	117	101	163

(c) & (d) No, sir. Since a larger number of terrorist neutralization has taken place, the terrorist organizations based in Pakistan are now increasing their efforts to promote radicalization through vested interest groups and social media and increase the attack on the Security Forces in J&K forcing them to retaliate and give it a shape of civil resistance.

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