

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3868**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 17TH MARCH, 2020/ PHALGUNA 27, 1941 (SAKA)

INVESTIGATION INTO PULWAMA TERROR ATTACK

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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government would make the facts public regarding the outcome of the investigation of the Government in the terrorist attack of Pulwama;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of the number of soldiers who sacrificed their lives on the border of Jammu and Kashmir after the Pulwama attack; and

(d) the action plan of the Government to curb the incidents of infiltration from the borders and to curb the casualties of the soldiers deployed in the security of the country?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)**

(a) & (b): The case is under investigation.

(c): After the Pulwama attack, 82 security force personnel (including 40 CRPF personnel in Pulwama) have laid their lives in fight against terrorism in Jammu and Kashmir.

(d): The Government of India in tandem with the State Governments has adopted a multi-pronged approach to contain cross border infiltration. This

includes strengthening of border management and increased deployment of Security Forces along the International Border / Line of Control. The measures include construction / maintenance of border fencing, use of modern weapons and equipments by Security Forces, installation of border floodlights, improved intelligence and synergized intelligence flow and coordinated operations. A technological solution in the form of Comprehensive Integrated Border Management System (CIBMS) has been implemented in some vulnerable border areas. This includes smart fencing, adoption of state-of-the-art surveillance technologies such as thermal imagers, infra-red and laser-based Intruder alarms, aerostats for aerial surveillance and ground sensors etc.
