

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY): (a) to (c) Opening up of strategic and inaccessible areas is not contemplated for tourists by Government of India. However, visits to certain sensitive border areas for trekking/tourism are governed by Restricted Area Permit/Protected Area Permit/Notified Area Permit (RAP/PAP/NAP) Regime, approval for which is given on case to case basis.

#### Encroachment of defence land

1997. SHRI RAJEEV SHUKLA: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a large areas of defence land is under encroachment or illegal occupation in various parts of the country;

(b) if so, the State-wise details as on 31st December, 2008; and

(c) the action being taken to get back the land?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY): (a) and (b) Some defence land under the management of various authorities is under encroachment or illegal occupation at different locations. The State-wise details as on 31.12.2008 are given in the Statement (See below).

(c) The action is being taken to get back the land under the provision of the Public Premises (Eviction of Unauthorised Occupants) Act, 1971 and Cantonments Act 2006.

#### Statement

*State-wise details of encroachment or illegal occupation of defence land as on 31st December, 2008*

Sl.No.	State	Area under Encroachment (In Acres)	Area Under Illegal Occupation (In Acres)
1	2	3	4
1.	Andaman & Nicobar	1,641	-
2.	Andhra Pradesh	671,781	-
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	36,300	-
4.	Assam	627,982	-
5.	Bihar	456,461	5,102
6.	Chandigarh	-	-
7.	Chhattisgarh	144,552	-
8.	Delhi	107,4657	74,14
9.	Daman & Diu	-	-
10.	Goa	4,05	-
11.	Gujarat	306,6359	-

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12.	Haryana	678.876	319.30
13.	Himachal Pradesh	876.461	76.56
14.	Jammu & Kashmir	721.149	1.339
15.	Jharkhand	70.120	-
16.	Karnataka	59.4098	-
17.	Kerala	1.4215	-
18.	Lakshadweep	-	-
19.	Madhya Pradesh	204.2782	1376.506
20.	Maharashtra	2215.90504	162.82
21.	Manipur	-	-
22.	Meghalaya	15.6167	-
23.	Mizoram	-	-
24.	Nagaland	-	-
25.	Orissa	45.313	-
26.	Pondicherry	-	-
27.	Punjab	364.0748	147.58
28.	Rajasthan	327.766	1146.266
29.	Sikkim	-	-
30.	Tamil Nadu	86.0620	-
31.	Tripura	-	-
32.	Uttar Pradesh	2786.5863	788.354
33.	Uttarakhand	18.83489	-
34.	West Bengal	404.494	-
TOTAL :		10441.421	4097.967

**Rape of foreign women**

1998. SHRIMATI HEMA MALINI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of foreign women raped and molested during the last three years and under what circumstances; and

(b) whether Government has been able so far to nab any of those culprits who are bringing bad notions about the country to foreign countries?