

Government of Pakistan take strong and effective action to prevent the use of Pakistan's territory for terrorist attacks against India, act against the perpetrators of past attacks and dismantle the infrastructure of terrorism in Pakistan.

Infrastructure along LAC

1381. SHRI KALRAJ MISHRA: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has approved Rs. 5000 crore project for infrastructure improvement along the 4000 km. long Line of Actual Control along Indo-Chinese border along Tibetan Autonomous Region;

(b) if so, the details of the project; and

(c) the agency to whom the work has been assigned and the progress made so far in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI PRENEET KAUR): (a) No.

(b) and (c) Does not arise.

Funds for Haj Yatra

1382. SHRI MOHD. ALI KHAN: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is supporting the fund to the Haj Yatra;

(b) if so, the details of such funding according to its population in each State especially in Andhra Pradesh;

(c) the people who have utilized such funding in Andhra Pradesh;

(d) whether the State Government of Andhra Pradesh has requested to enhance the allocation made to the Haj pilgrim;

(e) if so, the details thereof and the action taken thereon; and

(f) if not, by when action would be taken?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI PRENEET KAUR): (a) The Government is not supporting the fund for the Haj Yatra except to the extent the subsidy being provided for air travel for the pilgrimage.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Selected Haj Pilgrims from Andhra Pradesh have also benefited from the Government subsidy as above.

(d) No.

(e) and (f) Does not arise.