

(b) whether the guidelines for extension of validity of arms license in Delhi prepared in 2009 and sent to Ministry of Home Affairs were cancelled by the Ministry and new guidelines were issued, if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) Guidelines issued *vide* No. V-11026/106/94-Arms dated 11th October, 1995 by Ministry of Home Affairs gave directions for handling applications for extension of area validity of NPB arms licenses.

(b) No, Sir.

**Tribal and non-tribal leaders in Naxalites/
Maoist movement**

1630. SHRI MANGALA KISAN: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) how many tribal leaders and non-tribal leaders have been involved in the naxalites and Maoists movement in Odisha, Jharkhand and Chhattisgarh;

(b) if so, whether Home Department, Central Government and State Government have identified the persons who are leading the movement; and

(c) how many top leaders of the movement are in jail custody?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI JITENDRA SINGH): (a) and (b) The Government of India does not maintain the caste profile of CPI (Maoist) leaders of Odisha, Jharkhand and Chhattisgarh. However, in the Politburo and Central Committee of CPI (Maoist), the presence of tribals is almost negligible. The Central/State Governments have identified Maoist cadres leading the insurgency.

(c) A total number of 12 Politburo/Central Committee members of CPI (Maoist) are in jail at present.

Maintenance of interceptor boats in Odisha

1631. SHRI MANGALA KISAN: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government would take immediate steps for establishment of Mini workshop by Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers Limited (G.R.S.E.) Kolkata in Odisha for maintenance of interceptor boats; and

(b) whether Government would sanction required funds for construction of 13 more Jetties for 13 marine police stations sanctioned in Phase-II in the State?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) There is no proposal for establishment of Mini workshop by G.R.S.E.,

Kolkata in Odisha for maintenance of interceptor boats. However, G.R.S.E. has set up an Annual Maintenance Contract with M/s SHM Ship Care to meet the maintenance requirements of the Interceptor Boats delivered to various Marine Police Stations in Odisha. The firm is having an office at Paradip Garh in Odisha.

(b) Under Coastal Security Scheme Phase-II, 13 coastal police stations and 5 jetties have been sanctioned for the State of Odisha. An amount of Rs. 95,22,000/- has been released to State Government of Odisha for starting the construction work of coastal police stations and jetties.

Foreigners involved in crimes

†632. SHRI BALAVANT ALIAS BALAPTE :
SHRI ANIL MADHAV DAVE :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether there are reports that a large number of foreigners are involved in various crimes and illegal activities in India;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the number of foreigners arrested, convicted and given life or death sentence Nationality-wise during each of the past three years and the current year;

(c) whether there is any mechanism to stop criminal activities of the foreigners in the country; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) and (b) Instances of violation of the law and involvement in illegal activities by foreign nationals have been reported. Registration of cases and action thereon comes within the purview of police stations and State Governments/Union Territory Administrations concerned. Statistical data of this nature is not centrally maintained.

(c) and (d) Law enforcement agencies maintain a strict vigil on the activities of the foreigners in the country and take appropriate action.

Rebuilding the earthquake hit Sikkim

1633. SHRI KUMAR DEEPAK DAS: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) the details of steps taken for rebuilding Sikkim struck by a devastating quake last month;

†original notice of the question was received in Hindi.