GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1976

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 03RD AUGUST, 2022/ SRAVANA 12, 1944 (SAKA)
SUICIDE CASES REPORTED AMONG POLICE PERSONNEL

1976. SHRI ABIR RANJAN BISWAS:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of suicide cases reported among police personnel during last five years, year-wise, State-wise, details thereof;
- (b) whether Government has conducted any study on workload among the police personnel, if so, details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI NITYANAND RAI)

(a): Since 'Police' and 'Public Order' are State subjects as per the Seventh Schedule of the Constitution of India and welfare of the police personnel is primarily, the responsibility of the State Governments, the details related to the number of suicide cases reported among State police personnel are not maintained centrally.

State/Union Territory-wise and year-wise details of the number of suicide cases reported amongst Central Armed Police Forces (CAPF), Assam Rifles & National Security Guard personnel during the period of five years from 2017 to 2021 are at Annexure.

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(b) and (c): The Bureau of Police Research and Development (BPR&D) had conducted a research study titled "National requirement of Manpower for 8-Hour Shifts in Police Stations" through Administrative Staff College of India (ASCI), Hyderabad in the month of December, 2014. The BPR&D had also undertaken a research study on "Comparative Analysis of Attrition and Suicide Cases in CAPFs and Corrective Measures" through the Indian Institute of Public Administration (IIPA) in September, 2020.

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Details of suicide cases reported of Central Armed Police Forces, Assam Rifles & National Security Guard personnel

S.N	States/UTs	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
1	Andhra Pradesh	7	1	6	8	8
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0	2	0	0	0
3	Assam	8	4	5	11	7
4	Bihar	3	2	5	6	8
5	Chhattisgarh	6	1	2	5	4
6	Delhi	1	2	2	2	0
7	Gujarat	2	1	3	1	3
8	Haryana	11	8	12	6	9
9	Himachal Pradesh	2	3	5	5	3
10	Jammu & Kashmir	7	10	10	11	3
11	Leh Ladakh	0	0	0	0	0
12	Jharkhand	2	0	2	4	2
13	Karnataka	0	3	3	3	4
14	Kerala	4	3	2	7	3
15	Madhya Pradesh	5	2	5	4	3
16	Maharashtra	6	6	2	8	11
17	Manipur	2	0	4	1	1
18	Meghalaya	1	2	1	3	2
19	Mizoram	1	1	0	2	1
20	Nagaland	0	0	0	0	2
21	Odisha	4	2	1	6	9
22	Puducherry	0	0	1	0	0
23	Punjab	7	5	9	3	12
24	Rajasthan	6	4	10	14	12
25	Tamil Nadu	4	2	8	6	4
26	Telangana	1	1	1	1	2
27	Tripura	8	5	6	3	5
28	Uttar Pradesh	9	10	12	14	17
29	Uttarakhand	6	2	3	5	5
30	West Bengal	12	15	13	10	13
Total		125	97	133	149	153