

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 365**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 05TH FEBRUARY, 2020/MAGHA 16, 1941 (SAKA)

DATA ON ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS

365. SHRI HUSAIN DALWAI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the number of illegal immigrants deported to various countries since January, 2018, country-wise and year-wise details thereof;

(b) the details of the total number of persons convicted under the Foreigners Act, 1946 from 1 January, 2018 to 31 December, 2019, State/UT-wise and section-wise; and

(c) the details of the total number of Rohingya Muslims deported since August, 2017, along with the place of deportation?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

(SHRI NITYANAND RAI)

(a): The powers of the Central Government under Section 3(2)(e) and 3(2)(c) of The Foreigners Act, 1946 to detain and deport foreign nationals have been entrusted to State Governments under Article 258 (1) of the Constitution of India vide Notification dated 19th April, 1958. UT Administrations have also been directed under Article 239 of the Constitution of India to execute these powers of the Central Government vide Notification dated 19th April, 1958. Similarly, Bureau of Immigration has also been delegated these powers since the year 2000.

As per the available information, 3311 foreign nationals have been deported by Bureau of Immigration during the Calendar years 2018 and 2019. Country-wise and year-wise details of foreigners deported are enclosed at Annexure-A.

(b): During 2018, 852 persons have been convicted under the Foreigners Act, 1946 and the Registration of Foreigners Act, 1939. State/UT-wise details are enclosed at Annexure-B.

(c) All non-citizens are uniformly subject to the same legal provisions regarding their deportation/repatriation. Appropriate action is taken by the competent authority as per the provisions of The Foreigners Act, 1946 and The Passport (Entry into India) Act, 1920.

Country- wise statistics of Foreigners Deported-during 2018-2019

Country	No. of deported Foreigners	
	2018	2019
Afghanistan	33	142
Angola	0	1
Australia	1	1
Austria	1	0
Bahrain	0	1
Bangladesh	445	299
Brazil	0	1
Burundi	1	0
Cameroon	8	13
Canada	5	0
China	2	9
Colombia	1	1
Congo	12	8
Cote D'ivoire	13	18
Democratic Republic of Congo(Zaire)	0	1
Czech	2	0
Djibouti	1	1
Ethiopia	3	2
France	1	5
Germany	1	4
Ghana	9	1
Guinea	1	1
Indonesia	1	3
Iran	13	20
Iraq	6	7
Ireland	1	0
Israel	1	1
Italy	1	0
Japan	0	6
Jordan	1	1
Kenya	18	21
Kyrgyzstan	3	0
Laos	6	2
Liberia	3	4
Malawi	1	1
Malaysia	0	3
Maldives	0	1
Mali	0	1
Myanmar (Burma)	38	16
Namibia	1	2
Nepal	6	1
New Zealand	0	1
Niger	1	4
Nigeria	711	657
North Korea	1	0
Oman	2	2
Pakistan	0	5
Philippines	2	2
Poland	1	1
Republic of Korea	02	0

Romania	0	3
Russian Federation	8	8
Rwanda	1	0
Saudi Arabia	2	1
Sierra Leone	0	1
Senegal	3	0
Singapore	4	2
Somalia	119	9
South Africa	6	2
South Sudan	2	0
Spain	0	2
Sri Lanka	6	7
Stateless (Tanzania)	-	5
Sudan	26	29
Sweden	0	1
Syrian Arab Republic	3	1
Thiland	69	49
Turkey	0	1
Uganda	36	98
Ukrain	0	4
U.A.E	0	0
United Kingdom	10	8
United republic of Tanzania	49	48
United state of America	02	3
Uzbekistan	12	12
Vietnam	0	1
Yemen	8	10
Zambia	1	1
Zimbabwe	4	3
Total	1731	1580

**State/UT-wise report on persons convicted under The Registration of Foreigners Act,
1939 & The Foreigners Act, 1946 during 2018**

S. No.	State/UT	Persons Convicted
1	Andhra Pradesh	0
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0
3	Assam	13
4	Bihar	1
5	Chhattisgarh	0
6	Goa	20
7	Gujarat	0
8	Haryana	14
9	Himachal Pradesh	13
10	Jammu & Kashmir	11
11	Jharkhand	0
12	Karnataka	15
13	Kerala	3
14	Madhya Pradesh	1
15	Maharashtra	7
16	Manipur	27
17	Meghalaya	23
18	Mizoram	10
19	Nagaland	1
20	Odisha	0
21	Punjab	0
22	Rajasthan	7
23	Sikkim	1
24	Tamil Nadu	15
25	Telangana	0
26	Tripura	0
27	Uttar Pradesh	3
28	Uttarakhand	0
29	West Bengal	661
	TOTAL STATE(S)	846
30	A&N Islands	5
31	Chandigarh	0
32	D&N Haveli	0
33	Daman & Diu	0
34	Delhi	1
35	Lakshadweep	0
36	Puducherry	0
	TOTAL UT(S)	6
	TOTAL (ALL INDIA)	852

Source: NCRB

Note: Some clarifications are pending from West Bengal, Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Meghalaya & Sikkim for the year 2018.