

[Two BSF jawans injured in militant attack](#)

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SRINAGAR : Militants opened fire at BSF jawans in the city, leaving two of them critically injured this morning. Constable Davinder of 75th battalion and Saifullah of 25th battalion of BSF were shot at from close range when they were withdrawing money from an ATM near the outer gate of S K Institute of Medical Sciences around 11.15 am, official sources said.

<http://www.dailyexcelsior.com/web1/10jan02/newsupdate.htm#2>

[Blast at Pak army barracks in PoK kills three](#)

The Hindu, 6 January 2010

A bomb ripped through an army barracks on Wednesday in Pakistan-occupied-Kashmir region, killing at least three soldiers, media reports said. Eleven troops were injured in the explosion, which took place in the T'rar Khul area of the Sadhnoti district, the Aaj television news channel said. It was not immediately clear whether the blast was caused by a bomb planted in the barracks or a suicide attacker.

<http://beta.thehindu.com/news/national/article76361.ece>

[Kashmir encounters do not signify return of militancy in J&K:CM](#)

Daily Excelsior, 9 January 2010

NEW DELHI: Downplaying the terrorist encounter at Lal Chowk in Srinagar, Jammu and Kashmir Chief Minister Omar Abdullah today said security forces engaged the militants on the basis of credible intelligence inputs and the incidents did not signify revival of militancy.

<http://www.dailyexcelsior.com/web1/10jan09/newsupdate.htm#4>

[2 LeT militants slain in Reasi](#)

Daily Excelsior, 10 January 2010

JAMMU : Two Lashker-e-Toiba militants were killed in a fierce gunbattle with army troops in Reasi district of Jammu region today. Acting on a specific information that some militants were hiding in Thanol forest belt, 140-km from here, troops of 64 Rashtriya Rifles launched a search operation in the area, an army officer said.

<http://www.dailyexcelsior.com/web1/10jan10/newsupdate.htm#4>

[Opinion:Militants making a comeback in Kashmir](#)

The Hindu, 11 January 2010

Jammu and Kashmir may see more violence in the coming months

as the militants have successfully regrouped themselves and there is qualitative shift in their handling and strategy. The renewed effort on their part is becoming possible with the increasing support of locals. These impressions are from internal deliberations taking place within various security agencies operating in the State. The past few weeks have witnessed some major strikes by militants in north Kashmir, where four CRPF personnel were killed last week. It was followed by some targeted civilian killings in that area. But it did not stop there and they managed to travel to Srinagar and attacked security personnel in Lal Chowk.

<http://beta.thehindu.com/news/national/article78234.ece>

2 killed, 6 injured in Sopore militant attack

The Hindu, 15 January 2010

A policeman was among two persons killed and six others were injured when militants attacked Sopore police station in Baramulla district with grenades and gunfire twice within an hour today. The constable and a civilian, injured in the indiscriminate firing by militants on the police station in the North Kashmir town, succumbed to injuries on way to SMHS hospital here, official sources said.

<http://beta.thehindu.com/news/national/article80620.ece>

Troop cut won't affect security situation: Kapoor

Daily Excelsior, 15 January 2010

NEW DELHI, Jan 14: Army chief General Deepak Kapoor today said infiltration from Pakistan had doubled last year as that country wanted to push in maximum number of terrorists but insisted that troop reduction undertaken in Jammu and Kashmir recently will not affect the security situation there. He also rejected the attack on him from Pakistan over his doctrine of two-front war, saying it was his duty to keep the nation prepared for any eventuality and update policies to this effect.

<http://www.dailyexcelsior.com/web1/10jan15/news.htm#1>

Bomber kills two soldiers in Pakistani Kashmir

Daily Excelsior, 16 January 2010

MUZAFFARABAD, PoK : A suicide bomber attacked a military vehicle in the Pakistan-occupied-Kashmir region today killing two soldiers, security officials said. The Pakistani part of the disputed Kashmir region had for years been free of Islamist militant violence until several attacks there over the past year.

Pakistan troops violate ceasefire in Poonch; fire small arms, rockets

The Hindu, 19 January 2010

In yet another ceasefire violation along the Line of Control, Pakistani troops on Monday evening fired small arms and rockets on Forward Defence Locations in Poonch sector of Jammu and Kashmir, a senior army official said. Pakistani troops in Kadu post fired small arms and at least five rockets on the Indian Army's Kranti post in Krishnaghata sub-sector in Poonch from 6.10 pm till 7.40 pm on Monday, he told PTI.

<http://beta.thehindu.com/news/national/article82156.ece>

[India to take all steps to defeat anti-peace elements in J&K](#)
The Hindu, 23 January 2010

India on Saturday said it will take whatever steps are needed to prevent and defeat "inimical" elements against peace and normalcy in Jammu and Kashmir. This comes amid government's assessment that there will be increase in terrorist attacks and infiltration attempts.

<http://beta.thehindu.com/news/national/article93629.ece>

[Militants give slip to army in Kulgam gun battle site](#)
Daily Excelsior, 23 January 2010

SRINAGAR : Lashker-e-Taiba terrorists, caught in a gun battle with security forces in a village in Kulgam district of south Kashmir, managed to escape in wee hours of the day despite a cordon being thrown by the Army. Highly-placed sources said the terrorists gave a slip to troops at around 0600 hours from the house at Qoimoh in Kulgam even as the army personnel, assisted by police, were preparing to launch an offensive against them.

<http://www.dailyexcelsior.com/web1/10jan23/newsupdate.htm#3>