

Gujarat Violence 2002-2007



KEYS

- ★ District badly affected by violence
- Some of the worst affected areas

Widespread Violence in 2002

- ➔ 153 out of 182 Assembly Constituencies were Affected in Widespread Violence that occurred in
 - ➔ 993 villages and 151 towns covering
 - ➔ 284 police stations
- (State SIB Report to the Election Commission)*

Relief and Rehabilitation figures

Official Number of Deaths –1037 (including Godhra 822)
 — State of Gujarat’s response to the NHRC
 Unofficial Estimates of Deaths—2,500
 Official Figures of Missing Persons—413
 Women & Children Killed - 225
(Report of the Women’s Parliamentary Committee)
 Nos of Missing Persons Not Yet Found- 228
 Attacks on Women - 185 (100 in Ahmedabad City)
 Attacks on Children- 57 (33 in Ahmedabad City)
 Rape Cases -11. Three in Dahod, 1 in Anand,
 4 in Panchmahals and 3 in Ahmedabad

Statistics on Relief Camps

Number of People officially declared taking shelter until March 2002
103 Relief Camps: Number of Persons—1,13,697.
(These were figures given to the then Gujarat governor, Sundersinh Bhandari) by the Governor-headed All-Party Committee on Relief Camps. District-wise break-up:
Ahmedabad — 66,292 in 44 camps, Vadodara —12,753, Sabarkantha—8,547, Panchmahal—8,271, Anand- 5,200, Dahod—4,536, in Mehsana —2,637, Kheda—1,267

Displaced Persons 2007

Five Years Later as many 8,700 persons live as Internally Displaced Persons within Gujarat.
 They do not have legal claims to the housing they now reside in
 They do not have Ration Cards
 They do not have BPL cards and Other Documents basic to a Citizen’s Right
 They are Refugees in their own State

Nos of Displaced Persons 2002-132,532

Homes Fully Destroyed—4,954
Homes Seriously Damaged-18,924
 (11,199 urban and 7095 Rural)
Shops Burnt—10,429
Shops Ransacked—1,278
 (Few if any have recd. compensation)
Larri-galas lost due to arson—2,623
 Rs 10,000 paid to start livelihood—1,022
(Report of the Women’s Parliamentary Committee)

Discrepancy in State’s Claims to NHRC
 Residential homes of 18,037 Homes of Urban Families (as against 13,222 till June 2002) & 11,204 families in rural areas had been destroyed or damaged
(Report of the State of Gujarat to NHRC)