

OPERATION CLOUD BURST, PUNJAB

In June 1990, Government of India decided to deploy National Security Guard in Border Districts of Punjab to assist civil administration in combating increased menace of terrorism. National Security Guard Task Force was deployed in Punjab from 20 June to 11 November 1990. The operation was code named as '**Operation CLOUD BURST**'. The operation helped in raising the moral of local Security Forces and civil administration. After induction of National Security Guard, the terrorist activities drastically decreased and confidence of civil population local administration was restored. In entire five months duration, National Security Guard had seven encounters with terrorists in which 16 terrorists were eliminated with huge recovery of arms and ammunitions. No fatal casualty was suffered by National Security Guard.
