

Lashkar-e -Taiba

What is the English translation of Lashkar-e-Taiba?

Where does this group come from?

What are the ideological objectives of this group?

Why do authorities suspect that this is the group behind the terrorist attack in Mumbai?

U.S. Response

What U.S. representative traveled to India and Pakistan in the wake of the attacks?

What was the primary message this U.S. official delivered regarding the attacks?

How might this situation impact the U.S. conflict in Afghanistan?

The Mumbai Attacks

When did the attacks take place?

Where did the attacks take place (what were the targets)?

How were the attacks executed?

How many casualties resulted from the attacks?

Who are the accused perpetrators of the attacks?

What are the nuclear implications of this growing conflict?

Growing Tensions between India and Pakistan

Why are people in India reacting with anger toward Pakistan over the terrorist attacks?

In the past, how was Lashkar-e-Taiba tied to Pakistan's security forces?

How has Pakistani government policy toward groups like Lashkar-e-Taiba changed since 2002?

Historical Roots of the Current Crisis

Prior to 1948, what was the status of India and Pakistan?

How did the end of British colonialism give rise to the current conflict?

What role do the regions of Kashmir and Jammu play in the ongoing conflict between the two nations?

How has this ongoing conflict manifested itself over the past 60 years (i.e. warfare, terrorism, etc)?