(G) Subject: Pakistani Support for Kashmiri Militants (25 April – 2 May 2002)

1. **Purpose:** To provide updated information on Pakistani support for Kashmiri militants and to assess Indian perceptions of Pakistani support.

2. **Key Points**

   Classified by: Multiple sources
   Declassify on: Xσ Pgs. 2-5 are denied in full

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Militant-Initiated Incidents in Kashmir (Open Source Reporting)

(U) This chart measures attacks on Indian civilians and security forces in Kashmir (but not conflict initiated by security forces), as reported in the press. Because some incidents are not reported in the media, this represents only a partial but reasonably representative picture of militant activity.

(U) Militant-initiated attacks in April 2002 are roughly on a par with the March 2002 level. However, this data shows that except for January 2002, the trend for February, March, and April 2002 is significantly higher than comparable periods in 2000-2001 and 1999-2000. February 2002 represents a spike, possibly due to better weather. Additionally, the data for November and December 2001 is lower than comparable periods in previous years.